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CHICAGO VIEW OF GLASGOW'S POLICY

Ownership of Traction Lines Leads Inevitably to City Control of All Public Utilities.

"GRAFT" HAS NO PLACE.

System a Success Because of Civic Honesty Undreamed Of in American Municipal Rule.

This cable dispatch is the first of a series by Raymond giving the results of his careful investigation of the inside workings of municipal ownership of traction lines in Scotland, England, and certain points on the continent. The success of that doctrine as a political issue in the last election in Chicago and the frequent vague references to the effectiveness of the system abroad should make a clear exposition of actual conditions by a trained American observer of particular value to those persons who desire to know the facts.

BY RAYMOND.

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[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

GLASGOW, April 21.—Municipal ownership in Glasgow, the second city of the united kingdom, is a condition, not a theory. Indeed, it is almost a habit. The city owns its traction lines, its gas and water plants, its telephone, electric light, and power systems, its baths, art galleries, lodging houses, and markets.

The tincture of communism in a city peopled and governed by hardheaded Scotchmen is not socialism. It is more like fascination. There is a decided tendency in Glasgow toward complete municipal control of all public utilities. This tendency—not a whiff of which France, but in conservative Scotland should be taken to heart by Chicago. It shows that it is the natural tendency of municipal ownership of traction lines to extend itself to similar control over other urban utilities.

Extending the System.

Glasgow, having taken possession of all its utilities, is now seeking from parliament power to own and operate interurban electric lines. Already the city government is operating the suburban traction lines under a system of leases, and the experiment, like the operation of the lines within the city limits, has been entirely successful. It requires only a brief stay in Glasgow, however, to convince a Chicago man that what Glasgow has succeeded in doing in the way of successful operation of civic utilities almost safely be taken as an indication of what might be done in Chicago.

In the first place, Glasgow itself is a city closely and compactly built. It has, however, a tributary population from two to ten times as great as the populations tributary to American cities of similar size. Again, the mileage of street railway lines in Glasgow is comparatively small. Only sixty-four miles of streets all told are supplied with municipal traction lines. The wages paid to employés of the municipal lines are less than half those paid in Chicago.

Graded Fares Won't Do.

Glasgow, of course, has no such "extreme distances" as Chicago, but on the long hauls the fares are by no means small. No transfers are given. It costs 6 cents to ride six miles. On the other hand, one may ride a distance inside of a mile for 1 cent.

Of course, this is cheap riding for the man who lives downtown, but obviously the system of graduated fares never would do in a sprawling city like Chicago.

Neither Chicago nor any other large American city has anything to learn of Glasgow so far as the actual operation of street railways is concerned. Glasgow did not adopt electricity until long after it had been exploited in nearly every city, large and small, in the United States, and Glasgow still clings to the overhead trolley system, even in the busy, downtown streets—a system far behind the clean, safe underground trolleys of Washington and New York. The operating system, in fact, is neither novel nor up to date.

Financially a Success.

In other respects the municipal traction lines of Glasgow are completely successful. Financially they are operated at a profit. The cars are clean and fast. Traffic is handled well. The conductors and motormen appear in neat uniforms and evidently understand their business well. At least, they are the equals of street car employés in Chicago and Milwaukee.

Every passenger who rides is provided with a seat. That is certain. The cars are "double deckers," averaging twenty-four seats below and forty-two above.

The cars are so clean, the service so prompt, and the financial showing made by the traction lines so satisfactory it is evident there cannot be much "graft" anywhere in the system. The lines are honestly administered, not only in the general manager's office, but by the conductors.

Whole Corporation Honest.

In fact, the administration of the business of the whole corporation of Glasgow seems honest to a degree not conceivable in the United States. Probably this is the real secret of the success of municipal ownership in cities of Scotland and England, for the traction lines are relieved of the predatory

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SUMMARY OF The Daily Tribune.

SATURDAY, APRIL 22, 1905.

THE WEATHER—
FORECAST—Fair Saturday, probably becoming unsettled by Sunday night, slowly rising temperature, easterly winds shifting to southerly.
Sunrise, 5:01; sunset, 6:38. Moonrise, 10:24 p. m.
CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.
Temperature, max. 40, min. 35, mean 38, normal for the day 48. Deficiency for 1905, 313.
Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., .05. Deficiency for 1905, .86 inch.
Wind, N. E., max. 46 miles an hour, at 6:50 a. m.
Relative humidity, 7 a. m. 91%, 7 p. m. 70%.

LARGEST 2 CENT MORNING CIRCULATION IN THE WORLD.

The Tribune Want Columns Will Be Found on Pages 12, 13, 14, 15.

RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR.

France alarmed at unexpected seriousness of complications with Japan over neutrality; imperative orders sent to Indo-China; Japan's anger with France growing. Page 1.

FOREIGN.

"Raymond's" special cable from Glasgow shows city infatuated with municipal ownership; owns and operates street car lines, telephone system, gas, electric light, and power plants, baths, art galleries, and markets; municipal conditions contrasted with those here. Page 1.

M. Delcasse, French minister of foreign affairs, resigned, owing to criticism of French policy in Morocco and neutrality in far east. Page 2.

Russia gave official sanction to grand duke's scheme for organization of political party to fight introduction of reforms and to save autocracy. Page 2.

WASHINGTON.

President Roosevelt will suggest to congress that United States waive Chinese claim of $22,000,000, due to boxer trouble; money to be spent in educating Chinese youth. Page 1.

Postmaster general began an energetic crusade against "get rich quick" frauds. Page 2.

Paul Morton, secretary of navy, will not quit cabinet so long as political enemies continue attacks. Page 2.

DOMESTIC.

Youth in Paterson, N. J., found roll of money, but thinking it joke threw it to crowd; learned it was real when too late. Page 1.

Committee of general agents of Equitable Life Assurance society received no aid from governor nor superintendent of insurance. Page 4.

Zeigler mine explosion due to natural cause, investigators declared. Page 5.

Philadelphia was swept by cyclone, which damaged more than 500 buildings and injured scores of persons. Page 6.

New York World warned nation against municipal ownership, declaring public control of utilities would mean centralization of power contrary to spirit of republic. Page 7.

LOCAL.

Gifts of $1,100,000 by John H. Witbeck to daughters just before death told of in inquiry to fix inheritance tax. Page 1.

Capt. George Wellington Streeter of "Deestrict of Lake Michigan" fame married 19 year old girl. Page 1.

William A. Paulsen arrested on charge of giving worthless check for $2,600 to repay loan. Page 3.

Edwin Herron was robbed while on platform of moving trolley car, then was thrown off. Page 3.

Proposed spreading of teamsters' strike vetoed by joint council. Page 3.

Seven Chicago policy holders sued in United States court, asking receiver for Equitable Life Assurance society. Page 4.

City decided to delay pressing appeal on transfer decision. Page 4.

Court ruled that state may offer evidence to show motive in Perry arson case. Page 8.

Packers may protest against work of secret service men in beef inquiry, claiming sole duty of these detectives is to suppress counterfeiting. Page 7.

Stolen baseball mitts betrayed two small burglars to police. Page 7.

Witnesses in divorce case described Poet Hintz as jack of all trades. Page 9.

Several witnesses supported Dr. Zeigler's claim to share in Mrs. McVicker's estate. Page 16.

Two Chicago men asserted claim to $50,000,000 estate of Charles H. Haran, South African "diamond king." Page 16.

POLITICAL.

Illinois assembly passed Chicago municipal court bill, putting end to justice system. Page 5.

Special committee will go to Springfield on Monday to urge enactment of measures in which Chicago is interested. Page 5.

Speaker Shurtleff told Illinois house it could not adjourn until Chicago legislation was disposed of. Page 5.

NEW YORK.

Legislative committee expected to report in favor of cheaper gas and electricity. Page 6.

Four steamers brought 9,675 steerage passengers in day; record for month is broken. Page 6.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY.

Dun & Co. reported more diversified business activity in Chicago. Page 11.

Commercial National Deposit company organized to finance bank building. Page 11.

Chicago cattle receipts, 1,500, steady; hogs, 15,000, 5 to 10 cents higher; sheep, 5,000, slow. Page 11.

Potatoes in better demand at firmer prices in South Water street. Page 11.

Wheat leaders took advantage of holiday in pit to talk over May deal. Page 11.

Railroads trying to reach equal basis for import and domestic freight. Page 11.

La Verne W. Noyes sold steel tubing plant at Chicago Heights to Hicks Locomotive and Car company for sum of $170,000. Page 15.

SPORTING.

Chicago National league nine lost second game to Cincinnati; score 6 to 2; White Stockings did not play at Detroit. Page 10.

Reported Western Jockey club stewards unanimously voted to retain outlaw rule at special meeting on Thursday; horses arriving at Worth. Page 10.

Steeplechase was feature of racing at Nashville; Mr. Rose was winner. Page 10.

Coach Stagg returned to Midway, lateness of train spoiling proposed reception; will supervise today's track tryouts. Page 10.

High school football schedule for next fall adopted. Page 10.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
GENOA	K. Albert	
HAVRE	La Touraine	
NEW YORK	Baltic	Cedric.
NEW YORK	Main	Perugia.

TO WAIVE CLAIM FOR $22,000,000.

President Will Ask Congress to Cancel Boxer Indemnity, China to Spend Money on Education.

AMERICA'S OLIVE BRANCH

Celestial Empire Broadens Policy and Will Send Youth to Study Ways of Occident.

BY JOHN CALLAN O'LAUGHLIN.

Washington, D. C., April 21.—[Special.]—President Roosevelt has promised the Chinese government to recommend to congress in his next annual message that the United States formally relinquish its right to the $22,000,000 balance due on the claim for indemnity allowed as a result of the boxer outrages in 1900.

On its part the Chinese government has agreed to set aside the sum which it had agreed to pay annually until the debt is satisfied for the education of the youth of the empire.

This is one of the biggest educational schemes of a modern character yet projected by the celestial government, and it has possibilities in the way of making even closer the relations of the two countries which the authorities here do not lose sight of. With China busily working to form an army, having more than 3,000 officers under the instruction of Japanese professors or Chinese who were educated in Japanese military academies, it is important that a solid basis of friendship be established so that however strong the far eastern empire may become it will feel the heavy obligations it is under to the American nation.

China Suggests a Way.

The way for this result has been suggested in the Chinese proposal that if the United States waive the right to the balance of the indemnity which is demanded in compensation for injuries done American citizens and the expenses to which it was put in dispatching troops to Peking, the emperor of China will promise to devote every penny of the amount to educational purposes.

It has been pointed out to the president that the United States had no intention to exact a huge indemnity from China during the negotiations following the boxer outbreak; that it placed its claim at $25,000,000 because of its purpose to suggest a pro rata reduction of the claims of all the powers, but that the other powers refusing to consider anything of the kind, it was compelled, reluctantly, to accept from China its bonds for the full amount.

This representation is so true that the president and his cabinet feel that to take the balance still owing would be to place this country upon a par with Russia, France, Germany, and other nations which deliberately put their claims at an exorbitant figure for the purpose of keeping the Chinese government weak and preventing it from achieving that development which would make the "yellow peril" a fact and no longer a bogie.

Hay Decries Exorbitant Pay.

Secretary Hay believed at the time the purpose of certain powers was to demand indemnities in the aggregate which would be far in excess of the ability of China to pay, and which could only be satisfied by the cession of Chinese territory. The United States never has been in sympathy with any such policy. It wants China at least sufficiently strong to guard the integrity of its own territory and to preserve its administrative entity—that is, maintain a government of and by the Chinese.

During the international negotiations following the boxer revolt Mr. Hay, suspecting the motives of several powers, sought to induce the nations taking part to agree to demand of China a lump sum amounting to $200,000,000, which "should be paid in money, not in territory," and which should be distributed equitably among the powers, the "United States being ready to scale its demand in any just proportion which may be accepted by the other powers."

But international ambitions and jealousies caused Mr. Hay's proposal to receive scant consideration, and the powers insisted upon China's payment of blood with a pound of flesh. Russia demanded $87,500,000; Germany, $80,000,000; France, $56,000,000; United States, $25,000,000; Great Britain, $24,000,000, and Japan, $23,000,000. Demands for smaller sums were made by Italy, Belgium, Austria, Spain, and Holland.

American Proposal Rejected.

Great Britain estimated her claim was too large, and suggested that the lump sum named by Secretary Hay be increased to $250,000,000 and distributed among the powers, but even this limit wasn't acceptable to powers with larger claims. Then Mr. Hay made his proposal which caused China to express the hope that the United States would see a way to waiving the right to the balance of the indemnity.

"The aggregate sum of the claims presented," Mr. Hay wired to Mr. Rockhill at the time the special commissioner was conducting the negotiations, "appears exorbitant. The government of the United States is willing to reduce by one-half its already reasonable claim if other powers will make similar reduction."

Representatives of the powers at Peking promptly disposed of the American proposal. By a formal vote it was decided the amount of expenses actually incurred by the powers as well as the claims of private persons should be demanded. The United States was then in an embarrassing situation. It couldn't summarily reduce its own claim. Such action would have been a confession that it was padded, and this government would have been discredited even in China. President McKinley and Mr. Hay knew the United States ought never to have demanded that China pay this government $25,000,000.

Scale Down Estimates.

Taking all the claims filed by merchants and missionaries at their face estimate the aggregate did not exceed $2,000,000. The expenses incurred by the navy in maintaining the fleet in Chinese waters were practically nil. The ships would have had to have been somewhere, and consequently the mere steaming up and down the Chinese coast involved no additional outlay. Transportation of marines and troops from the Philippines, their maintenance in China, and other expenses of the expeditionary corps were estimated at $5,000,000 by the war department, but the state department always held this sum to be exorbitant, and it finally was agreed if more than $1,000,000 outside the usual service expenditures had been spent

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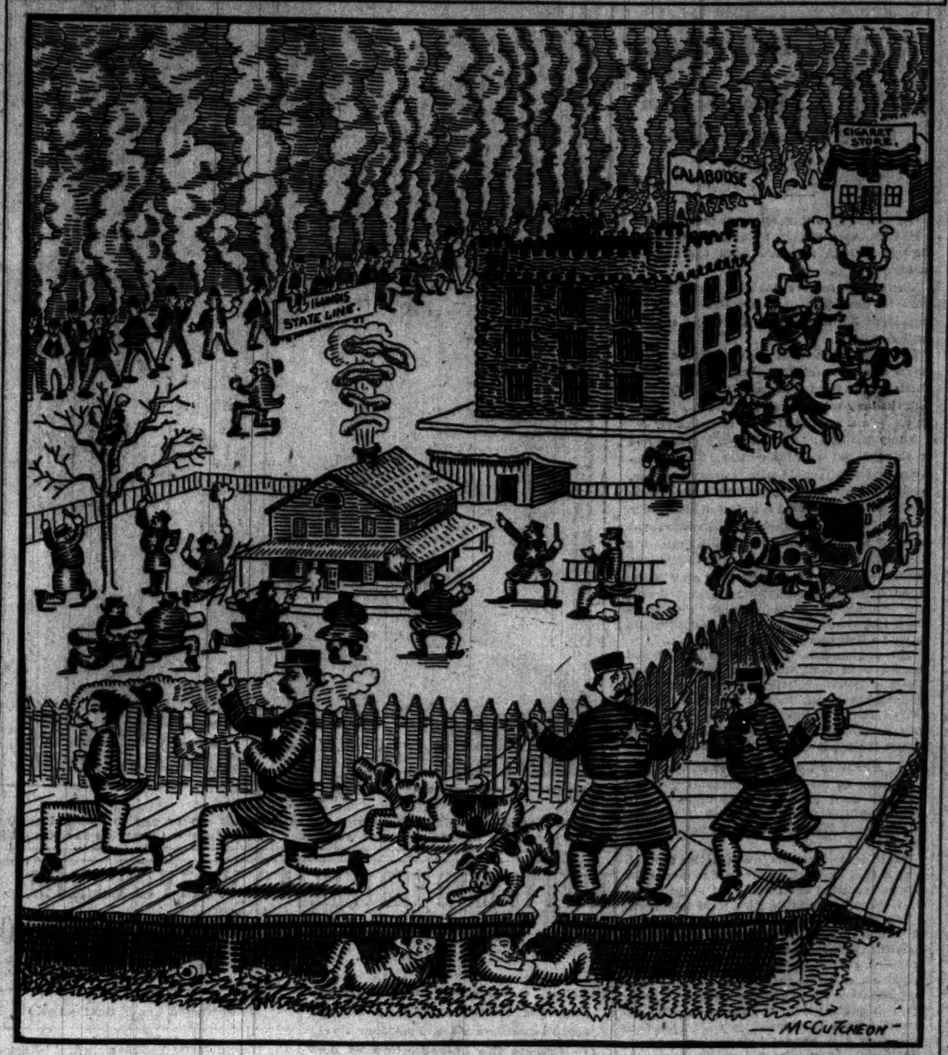
ENFORCING THE ANTI-CIGARET LAW IN INDIANA.



HIDDEN $1,100,000 IS FOUND.

State Claims Big Inheritance Tax on J. H. Witbeck Estate.

GIFTS MADE BEFORE DEATH.

Existence of Stocks and Bonds Not Willed Is Revealed.

Securities of the approximate value of $1,100,000 and subject to an inheritance assessment of around $11,000 yesterday were discovered through testimony given before Ora E. Chapin, special appraiser appointed to investigate the amount of the tax due the state from the estate of John H. Witbeck, who died Oct. 27, 1904.

When the estate was probated last November the property was inventoried around $800,000. The revelations which will be completed today go to show that thirty days before his death Mr. Witbeck gave to his two daughters the notes, stocks, and bonds which now are to be listed.

Under the will the property was divided equally between the three children—Harry Y. Witbeck, 1008 Fifty-fifth place; Mrs. Frances W. Curtis, 2841 Michigan avenue; and Mrs. Grace W. Barrell, 4805 Kimbark avenue.

Daughters Given $550,000 Each.

It now is discovered that the two daughters received $550,000 each, which on the death of their father immediately became theirs without probate proceedings. It had been deposited in trust for them in safety deposit boxes at the Illinois Trust and Savings bank on Oct. 1.

These disclosures came out in the testimony of James Wilson, who for twenty-five years before the death of Mr. Witbeck had been familiar with all the affairs of the estate. For three years the witness practically managed Mr. Witbeck's affairs, and he was made joint trustee with each of the daughters in the care of securities until the death of their father.

The inheritance tax laws of Illinois provide that any voluntary gifts made before the death of any one shall be exempt from taxation unless "the gifts are made in anticipation of death."

For three years before his death Mr. Witbeck had been ill with Bright's disease. In consequence the facts and manner of the gifts to the daughters became in the hearing a matter of importance.

Assert Death Not a Factor.

Every effort was made by counsel for the estate and beneficiaries of the will to show that the gifts were without reference to the possibility of death. The father was asserted to have believed he had many years to live.

Wilson told of a meeting between father and daughters when the division of the property was decided on. It was in September. They went over the items of the estate as shown by Wilson's books and next day they met in the vault of the bank and spent hours over the safety deposit box of Mr. Witbeck, which was opened and the contents stacked on a table.

Piles of bonds, notes, and shares of stock were set aside for Mrs. John F. L. Curtis and Mrs. James Finley Barrell. Then each lot was listed carefully and a bill of sale executed and signed by Mr. Witbeck. Finally, a deposit box was secured for each of the daughters. The delivery had thus been made.

Strong Boxes Disclose Evidence.

On the third day afterward articles were drawn up by which the joint trusteeship of the daughters with Mr. Wilson was established. The keys to the boxes then were given the man. It was here that Merritt W. Pinkney, inheritance tax attorney for the state, found the evidence which he asserts establishes his contention that the $1,100,000 of securities are part of the estate of Mr. Witbeck, notwithstanding they were not included in the will.

SCORNS ROLL; BAD? NO; FAINTS

Youth Finds Bills, Thinks It Joke, and Throws Them to Crowd.

LEARNS MISTAKE TOO LATE.

Finder of Money Mourns Loss of Price to Play Races—Owner Seeks Wealth.

Paterson, N. J., April 21.—[Special.]—Johnny Nolan dances well enough to earn a living at it, but the same joyous spirit that makes him dance so well generates financial aspirations which his nimble legs cannot overtake. Hence Johnny's enlistment into the ranks of railbirds and dreamers whose continuous dream is exchanging a $1 bill for the bookmakers' $100 notes.

Johnny was hot on the trail of his iridescent illusion last night. A friend who is a relative to an assistant to a jockey's helper, who had slept with a certain horse, had told him a "sure thing" for today's races. Nolan, without doubts and without money, hastened down Straight street to the Susquehanna station to borrow the price of a bet—the cornerstone of his coming fortune.

Flirts with "the Green."

Hurrying along about dusk, Johnny's eye fell upon a roll of green, which, if real and translated into board, lodging, and café service, would guarantee him a long stay at the St. Regis.

"Ah, there, my Cassie Chadwick notes of hand," he gurgled, jeeringly, as he kept on going.

The resemblance to the real thing, however, was too strong. The dancer went back and picked up the roll.

Two boys, a man, and a woman saw him do it. Now, Johnny congratulates himself on the fact he never had been caught by these silly tricks. He prides himself on the scores of times he has fooled the other fellows, and he decided to hang some more scalps to his belt.

Throws Money to Crowd.

Staggering to the corner he simulated the warwhoop of an inebriate, and peeling a three ply layer from his newly found roll tossed it into the air. The two boys, the man, and woman fell upon the green with precipitation. Before Johnny's "come ons" had got through tearing one another's clothes to pieces he tossed out another handful to the evening breeze.

"Come to papa for your pin money," he cried joyously as the crowd grew and the roll diminished.

All seemed in such a hurry to get away when there was no more of the wad that Johnny pondered. Could it be possible that——? Never! Never! Why, there isn't that much real money in Paterson.

Finds Roll Is Real.

Here Johnny picked up a bill that had been abandoned in the scattering exodus and looked at it.

"Great Jersey Applejack," he exclaimed. Then he felt it carefully again and again. His senses began to desert him.

"What!" he murmured feebly, "am I stung? am I——"

At the same time Charles W. Elbow, a Main street merchant, was telling a sergeant at the police station that he had lost $200 near the Susquehanna station and that he needed it badly. The detective who hurried out on the case found Nolan gasping and took him to a nearby saloon to revive him. Then he heard the frightful story.

Nobody has told Elbow yet, as the merchant is stout and inclined to apoplexy.

JEFFERSON'S CONDITION WORSE

Veteran Actor Refuses to Take Food, Which Is Regarded as Unfavorable.

West Palm Beach, Fla., April 21.—Joseph Jefferson's condition tonight is not so favorable. He refuses to take food.

STREETER IS CUPID'S VICTIM

Doughty Captain of "Lake Michigan" Takes 19 Year Old Wife.

ROMANCE OF A "ROAD SHOW."

Surprise Among Veteran's Old Friends When News Reaches City.

"Cap'n" George Wellington Streeter of "Deestrict of Lake Michigan" fame has a romance. He is married again. His wife is 19 years old, nearly half a century his junior, and has passed as a distant relative of the "Cap'n."

The fact of the wedding of the veteran who claimed the tract on the north shore became known last evening when he returned to South Bend, Ind., from Montrose, Mich. His bride was with him. It was declared the marriage had taken place in the Michigan town on Wednesday. It was in the nature of an elopement, the "Cap'n" being romantic.

The bride's name is given as Miss Mary Collins. She was with Streeter in one of the "dramatic" companies with which he traveled, and there she was known as "Ola Streeter." The bridegroom has engaged apartments in a South Bend hotel, where he says he will spend his honeymoon.

His Lieutenant Surprised.

When Streeter left his house, 2917 Cottage Grove avenue, on Tuesday, "Con" Sullivan, his trusty lieutenant, remained in charge. Sullivan was amazed last night to learn that the "cap'n" had married. All that the former "governor" had told his associate when he departed was that he was going to South Bend with Miss Mary Collins, whom he called his niece, and Herman Holtz, who was called a nephew, and that there was to be a marriage, in which one or both of the latter were concerned.

Sullivan tilted his chair back against the wall on hearing the news. He gasped and sighed and then he said, accepting the inevitable:

"Well, ain't he a regular good 'un, though." Then he chuckled, adding: "He's a pert old fellow, though, the Cap'n is, and don't ask advice from nobody. I allow he knows what he's about all right enough, and the girl, well she knows Streeter tolerable well."

She Always Believed in Him.

Miss Collins has been a "believer" in Streeter and his pretensions through all his varied career.

She did all she could to assist him when he was fighting for his "claims" on the lake shore and in the courts. Until she went "on the stage" with the veteran, however, it is declared she shrank from publicity and avoided appearance of connection with his affairs.

Streeter's first wife, Marie Streeter, died in a hut near the shore while he was in jail. She was a picturesque figure in the fights with the police in raids on the "district."

HOPES FOR A BRIGHT EASTER.

Weather Forecaster Thinks Morning at Least Will Be Fair—Storm Headed This Way.

Easter weather, a topic that is bothering a large share of Chicago's population, is likely to be propitious—sunny in the morning, warmer in the afternoon. This is the preliminary official forecast:

The weather Easter Sunday is uncertain on account of a storm which is now centered west of the Rockies and is slowly advancing in this direction. It appears probable, however, that the morning will be fair, with the weather becoming warmer in the afternoon. The temperature will be rising Sunday, with brisk winds.

HENRY J. COX, Weather Forecaster.

Prof. Cox said the effect here of the storm in the west could only be guessed. The storm might not be felt here at all or it might appear tomorrow. Because of this condition he was unable to give a more definite prediction.

RUSSIAN FLEET ALARMS FRANCE

Proof That 50 of Czar's Warships Are Coaling in Kamranh Bay Causes Uneasiness.

HASTY STEPS TO AVERT CRISIS.

Every Effort Being Made to Conciliate the Rapidly Growing Anger of Japan.

BRITISH PROTEST IS FEARED.

BULLETIN.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

HONGKONG, April 21.—The British China squadron here evidently is preparing for some unusual service. The armored cruiser Hogue has been ordered to be ready to go to sea under full steam at short notice.

BULLETIN.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

SAIGON, April 21.—The Russian Baltic fleet had not left Kamranh Bay today. It is believed there are fifty vessels in the fleet. Admiral Jonquieres, the French naval commander here, has visited the Russians on the French cruiser Descarte.

The Russians are short of stores. French and German steamers, including the Eva and Daguiar, are leaving Saigon almost daily with immense supplies intended for the fleet.

The steamer Cridan has been sold for $60,000 to be used in conveying stores. Another steamer has been chartered for the same purpose.

The British steamer Hindu is unloading coal here and it is suspected it is for the Russians, who already have 45,000 tons of coal stored at this place. Five Russian colliers arrived today to convey this coal to the fleet.

Saigon is reaping a big harvest from the visit of the Russians.

Gov. Gen. Beau intended to visit the bays on the Annam coast, but he has given up his trip on account of the presence of the Baltic fleet.

Another Russian squadron, consisting of seven ships, including battleships and cruisers (Vice Admiral Nebogatoff's) is expected to arrive here daily. It is thought this squadron will remain for two weeks on the Annam coast.

It is believed here that one portion of the Russian fleet will meet the Japanese, while the other will make a wide detour in an endeavor to reach Vladivostok.

There is much comment among foreigners here concerning France's action in allowing the Russians to obtain complete supplies of provisions and coal.

LOOKS SERIOUS TO FRANCE.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

PARIS, April 22, 3 a. m.—The threatened complications with Japan over the alleged violation of the neutrality of French waters in the far east have assumed serious proportions, and the government no longer makes an effort to conceal its anxiety.

It was stated at the foreign office late yesterday afternoon that no representations of any kind had been presented by Great Britain concerning neutrality. At the same time it is anticipated that a British protest will be made. The fact that the British ambassador, Sir Francis Bertie, gave up his Easter holiday and returned to Paris last night after a conference with Lord Lansdowne in London appears to support this view.

Anything like an energetic protest from Great Britain at this time would be deeply wounding to France, who relies on the Anglo-French entente as a counterpoise to Germany's menaces over Morocco.

Delcasse's Resignation Significant.

There is an uneasy feeling that the resignation of M. Delcasse, as minister of foreign affairs, is closely associated with the crisis over the neutrality situation. Delcasse's fidelity to the Franco-Russian alliance is almost a tradition and his alleged weakness in the neutrality question made him the target of severe criticism from the socialist members of the chamber of deputies.

Anxious to Appease Japan.

The cabinet at its meeting yesterday took unusual and energetic steps to prove to Japan that France will observe neutrality.

Orders were cabled Gov. Gen. Beau of Indo-China to make a specific report upon the exact location of the Russian fleet and to report whether it has or has not withdrawn from French waters.

Imperative orders were given for the complete disarmament of the Russian cruiser Diana, which took refuge in the harbor of Saigon after the defeat of the Port Arthur fleet on Aug. 10 last. The Diana has been undergoing extensive repairs. The main parts of the cruiser's machinery must now be unshipped and handed over to French authorities at Saigon.

Reassuring Message Sent.

The French minister at Tokio was instructed to assure the Japanese minister of foreign affairs that it is France's purpose to preserve strict neutrality, these being similar to the assurances given to Dr. Motono, the Japanese minister at Paris.

Premier Rouvier announced in the chamber of deputies that "formal, precise, and repeated orders have been given our agents in

Indo-China to assure the absolute neutrality of France in Indo-Chinese waters."

Further than all these orders and statements, official representations to St. Petersburg led to orders being transmitted by the Russian government to Vice Admiral Rojestvensky to vigorously respect the neutrality of French waters. It was even stated that Foreign Minister Lamsdorf would carry the question before Emperor Nicholas in order to assure complete respect of French neutrality.

France Cannot Use Force.

According to the official view the foregoing steps should exercise a distinctly calming influence upon Japan, as they show that France directly and through Russia has adopted all available means to insure respect of the neutrality of French waters.

French officials say that the only additional measure open is the use of French warships to employ force in expelling Rojestvensky's squadron. Such a course, however, is said to be impossible owing to the small number of French ships in Indo-Chinese waters.

Anxiety of the Press.

There is no mistaking the tone of anxiety in the French press. There is an entire absence of jingoism and an evident desire to calm Japan's uneasiness.

Deputy de Lanessan [radical republican], the former minister of marine and at one time governor of Indo-China, says in the Siecle:

"We cannot ignore the fact that the Japanese people are greatly excited by the war and that public opinion may drive the Tokio cabinet to take extreme action. We therefore insist that the Rouvier ministry rapidly adopt steps in conformity with the interests of France and the maintenance of peace. All France agrees that the government has the duty of protecting French neutrality and thus preserving the world's peace."

The Humanie, socialist, says:

"If the impending naval battle occurs in Indo-Chinese waters and the Russian squadron seeks refuge in our ports then France may be suddenly dragged into a conflict in spite of herself that would mean war, and the government which through feebleness or blindness permitted such a catastrophe to occur would bear one of the most terrible responsibilities history has known."

French Violation Is Flagrant.

Baron Suyematsu, ex-minister of the interior of Japan, in the course of an interview with the London correspondent of the Matin, stated that the French laws of neutrality had not foreseen a case of breach of neutrality involving fifty warships. Japan could understand two or three belligerent vessels seeking temporary refuge in neutral water in case of danger, but no international conference and no jurisconsult could tolerate an excuse for fifty warships, especially when so close to the theater of war. Japan demanded of France fair play and justice, nothing more. The presence in Kamranh bay of an enemy's enormous fleet, the baron concluded, was a gross violation of the laws of neutrality.

RUSSIA TAKES ALARM.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 22, 1:30 a. m.—The Russian ministry of marine has cabled to Vice Admiral Rojestvensky that if he breaks French neutrality by staying over the time limit on the Annam coast international peace will be gravely endangered. It is not doubted he will obey the precise instructions already sent to him.

No reply is expected from Vice Admiral Rojestvensky for several days. Admiral Wirenius stated last night that Rojestvensky's telegram announcing his arrival at Kamranh bay took four days in transmission. Admiral Wirenius added that he had no idea of the present whereabouts of Rojestvensky, but that he believed he had left Kamranh bay. In any case, he said, at this season territorial waters offer no great advantage, because the weather is good and the sea calm.

There is no direct telegraph line to Kamranh bay, and the fact of a violation of neutrality would have to be established before any definite response could be given to Japanese or French representations on the subject made in Russia. The following statement on the subject was made last night:

"If Rojestvensky is still at Kamranh bay or contemplates remaining there until Nebogatoff joins his ships, he will remain outside the three mile limit, as he did during his long stay off Madagascar. Naturally, Japan will file a caveat, just as she would file one with the United States if Rojestvensky should approach the Philippines. Japan's protest is in the nature of a warning. The facts yet remain to be established."

JAPAN'S ANGER INCREASES.

TOKIO, April 21, 6 p. m.—The assertions in the Paris press that proofs of the presence of vessels of the Russian squadron in Kamranh bay are lacking are sharply contradicted by the Japanese, who assert that the evidence on the subject is conclusive.

The Nichi Nichi today asserts that the evidence is conclusive that Admiral Rojestvensky is using Kamranh bay as an actual naval base for belligerent action.

A former cabinet minister, discussing the incident today, said: "We are keenly anxious to avoid involving others, but we are bound to protect our rights. If France gives Russia the use of Kamranh bay why cannot England allow us to use Hongkong?"

BRITISH ATTITUDE UNCERTAIN.

LONDON, April 21.—All the government offices were closed today and most of the officials were out of town, making it almost impossible to secure an official statement regarding Great Britain's contemplated or actual action in connection with the neutrality question. It is stated, however, that the question was discussed yesterday between Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister, and Foreign Secretary Lansdowne. Baron Hayashi said this afternoon that he was not prepared to discuss the question whether or not Great Britain would send a note to France on the subject. "It is a pending matter," he said. "I am not prepared to make a statement which might embarrass both my own government and the government of Great Britain."

AMERICA NOT INTERESTED.

Washington, D. C., April 21.—[Special.]—No action has been taken by Secretary Taft in connection with the Japanese protest to France, a copy of which was filed with the state department today, and none will be taken. In fact, the secretary will not even acknowledge the receipt of the communication made to him by the Japanese legation. Japan has asked nothing of this government. She simply desired to acquaint the United States with her view of France's liability for harboring the belligerent vessels.

Naval officers say the naval situation for Japan is growing more serious daily, with the probability of an early arrival of the squadron of Admiral Nebogatoff, consisting of one battleship and three coast defense armorclads. As Togo is clinging to his base in the north it is not believed that any trouble will be experienced by Rojestvensky in picking up his reinforcements. Then he will move north.

KILLS HERSELF IN A CATHEDRAL

Italian Marchioness, 27 Years Old, Commits Suicide in Sacred Edifice in Milan.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

MILAN, April 21.—Marchioness Pallavicini, 27 years old, shot herself in the cathedral here this afternoon while the place was crowded with worshipers. A priest admitted the last rites of the church and then had her removed to a hospital. She died on the way there. The cathedral, being thus desecrated, was immediately closed, and it must be solemnly reconsecrated before services in it can be renewed.

DELCASSE QUITS FRENCH CABINET

Minister of Foreign Affairs Resigns, to Surprise of His Colleagues.

URGED TO KEEP PLACE.

Criticisms of Moroccan and Neutrality Questions Believed to Be Motive.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

PARIS, April 21.—M. Delcasse, minister of foreign affairs, resigned from the cabinet today.

There are rumors tonight that Premier Rouvier has said that unless M. Delcasse reconsiders his resignation the whole cabinet will resign.

Dissatisfaction with the internal controversies over the Moroccan question and criticisms of French neutrality in the far east are the only reasons ascribed for the foreign minister's withdrawal from the cabinet.

Many politicians declare that Morocco has nothing to do with the matter. They maintain that the trouble with Germany is over, and that, although that trouble was made a pretext for attacking him, it was his fidelity to the Russian alliance and his consequent alleged weakness on the neutrality question that caused the trouble. The socialists, whose strength in the chamber and in the country is unquestionable, are disgusted with the continuance of the compact with czardom, and are able to exert sufficient pressure to make Delcasse's position impossible.

The announcement was received in official circles with something like consternation. Premier Rouvier hastily summoned a cabinet council, at which it was unanimously declared that the interests of the country at this particular time required M. Delcasse to retain the ministry of foreign affairs.

Premier Urges Him to Stay.

As soon as the council adjourned Premier Bouvier went to the foreign office and in behalf of President Loubet and all the ministers urged that M. Delcasse remain in the cabinet.

There are two rumors in circulation tonight. One is that M. Delcasse declined to reconsider his resignation; the other that he promised to reserve his final decision until tomorrow.

The motives leading up to Delcasse's sudden determination to retire from the cabinet, as already stated, are primarily attributed to internal controversies over the Moroccan question, and this to some extent has been accentuated by similar controversies over French neutrality in the far east. The opposition have been quick to seize upon both questions and, headed by socialists and nationalists, have directed their criticisms against M. Delcasse.

Vehement Social Criticism.

The socialist criticisms have been particularly vehement during recent days on the Moroccan question, and this appears to have finally decided M. Delcasse to surrender the question to other hands. It is felt that his retirement now would be hailed in Germany as a German triumph, and this is one of the main considerations leading M. Rouvier to earnestly appeal to M. Delcasse to remain in the foreign office.

The news of M. Delcasse's resignation made a profound impression in the chamber of deputies, where it was first treated with incredulity. Later, however, when M. Delonole (republican) questioned the government upon the neutrality question, and M. Rouvier replied instead of M. Delcasse, it was realized that the report had solid foundation.

Regret in Great Britain.

LONDON, April 22.—It is a long time since the fate of any foreign minister has been watched with such keen attention in Great Britain as is M. Delcasse's today. Part author of the Anglo-French entente, M. Delcasse by his long and skillful conduct of foreign affairs has come to be regarded here as the embodiment of the new era of stability in French policy which has raised France to a position of such great influence in Europe, and the possibility of his disappearance is the subject of editorial articles in the morning newspapers expressing regret.

It is unanimously admitted that his downfall would be a great victory for the German emperor, and the strongest hopes are expressed that M. Delcasse will consent to reconsider his decision to retire from the French cabinet at this time, when so many delicate questions of policy, such as Morocco, far eastern neutrality, etc., are requiring the ablest man at the helm.

The Daily Telegraph says editorially that "no statesman in Europe during the last seven years has been so near the heart of things or thrown his weight more consistently and powerfully in the scale for peace."

TOLSTOI DERIDES EDUCATED.

Russian Author and Philosopher Also Declares City Life Is Abnormal, Artificial, and Immoral.

MOSCOW, April 21.—The Russky Listok today publishes a two column interview with Count Leo Tolstoi, in which the philosopher indulges in a jeremiad against the educated classes, city life, and the present tendencies of education, religion, and politics.

Referring to the university political movement, Count Tolstoi declares that parents are going to school to unruly children, and would pass on this "absurd" education of moujiks. He asks:

"What can such teachings give a man knowing an actual life of labor?"

He applies the whole vocabulary of derisive adjectives to the educated class, and advises them to learn the lesson of life anew from the lowly, and scores city liffe as abnormal, artificial, and immoral, helplessly trammeled by the conventions and fashion.

The time is at hand, Count Tolstoi declares in conclusion, for people to understand the hollowness, emptiness, and deceit of the present system, break to pieces their soulless, outworn idol, and seek the true and the living god.

WATTERSON DEFENDS CASTRO.

Says It Is Time the Smaller Countries Ceased to Have Any Dealings with Foreigners.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

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BERLIN, April 21.—Henry Watterson today, discussing Venezuela affairs, remarked: "I quite agree with President Castro that, with those 'gangs' of asphalt contractors, electric light companies, and the like, meddling with the affairs of his country and intriguing in numberless ways against the government, it is time the smaller countries should cease to have anything to do with foreigners."

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Miss Nancy Carnegie of Pittsburg, whose marriage a year ago to James Hever, a former coachman, became public on Wednesday last, is Andrew Carnegie's favorite niece.

MOVE TO SAVE THE CZAR.

MOSCOW CONGRESS TO ORGANIZE TO FIGHT LIBERALISM.

Russian Government Gives Official Sanction to Grand Duke's Scheme for Formation of a Political Party to Oppose the Introduction of Any European Form of Government in the Empire—Great Demonstrations by the People Planned for May 14.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 21.—The government has decided to give official status to the forthcoming Moscow congress for the formation of a national imperialist party. The congress, which will be large, will be composed of members of the conservative and agrarian nobility. The scheme has been engineered by Grand Duke Alexander Mikailovitch. Although M. Schipoff, a moderate liberal, will preside, his functions will be neutral. The real aim of the congress is to strengthen the autocracy, to oppose the introduction into Russia of foreign forms of government, and to oppose liberal aspirations generally.

Great Demonstration Planned.

May day demonstrations on a grand scale throughout the empire is the program of the socialist wing of the reform party, as announced at the pan-Russian congress of journalists which closed yesterday after a protracted and stormy session. The program includes organized meetings and parades in every city and industrial center of Russia on May 14. It is declared that if the police attempted to break up the demonstrations the government would be answerable.

Practically all the liberal papers of Russia were represented in the journalists' congress, among the delegates being Polish, Finnish, Armenian, Georgian, Esthonian, Lettish, Lithuanian, and Little Russian journalists. The police did not interfere.

The program adopted comprises vague resolutions in favor of the nationalization of land, some form of liberation of the laboring classes from the industrial yoke, and the right of various nationalists to self-development as far as consistent with the existence of the empire.

Runs Amuck in Warsaw.

WARSAW, April 21.—A drunken soldier at 8 o'clock this evening fired his revolver in the crowded streets of this city, killing one and wounding six persons, one of them probably fatally. A patrol had attempted to arrest the man, but failed, and as he fled he fired in all directions. Among the wounded are two soldiers, a policeman, and two Jews, a father and son. A workman finally captured the miscreant.

Gen. Maximovitch has resigned the governor generalship of Warsaw owing to differences with the committee of ministers regarding Polish concessions.

Assassins Busy in Poland.

BIALYSTOK, Russian Poland, April 21.—An unknown man today fired at the burgomaster in the street. The man missed his aim, but the bullet killed a passing Cossack.

At another place in this city Police Inspector Sawitzki was attacked by two men, who fired five shots at him, all taking effect. The assailants escaped.

MAY KIDNAP PRINCE GEORGE.

Cretan Insurgents So Busy That International Commanders Move Troops to Protect Young Ruler.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

CANEA, Crete, April 21.—Owing to a report that the insurgents have plotted to kidnap Prince George, the international commanders are distributing their troops accordingly. The action of the members of the chamber of deputies in taking the oath of allegiance to Greece has created administrative chaos. Customs officers are trying to apply the Greek tariff instead of the Cretan.

Why Powers Oppose.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

VIENNA, April 21.—It is strongly suspected that Prince George encouraged the decision of the Cretan chamber of deputies to declare union with Greece. The powers will ignore the chamber's resolution. The main object of the opposition of the powers to the union of Greece and Crete is to prevent a dangerous awakening of the Balkan question. If they sanctioned Turkey's dismemberment by the removal of Crete, Bulgaria immediately would declare her independence and occupy Macedonia. Turkey's fear of Russia would not operate to prevent the sultan from declaring war against Bulgaria, and thus the long threatened near eastern horror would begin.

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the United States had been cheated by somebody.

The United States, therefore, has been in the uncomfortable position of being compelled to take money that did not belong to it and that everybody knew did not belong to it. One official suggested that this latter fact was responsible for the constant pricking of the government's conscience.

The question arose how to release China from further payments. It finally was decided to wait until all claims of American citizens had been paid and the disbursements actually made for the army and navy returned, and then have congress pass a resolution authorizing the president to inform China that it need not make any further payments to the United States.

Roosevelt Discusses Plan.

Before President Roosevelt left Washington he discussed the question with Sir Cheng Tung Liang Cheng, minister of China in Washington. It was suggested if the United States should cancel the indebtedness the Chinese government and people would derive no benefit therefrom, for the reason that what is known as indemnity taxes were applied, and these must be collected during the forty years over which payments to all nations have been distributed. The reply made to this was that abandonment by the United States of its rights could not enable the government to modify the scheme of taxation, because owing other powers heavy aggregate sums.

But, in order that the maximum amount of good might be obtained by the people from the magnanimous act of the American nation, China herself suggested the plan of devoting the annual payment to the education of Chinese youth, either in public schools at home or in institutions abroad. The spirit of progress which is animating the Chinese government at the present time leaves no doubt in the minds of the authorities that the money would be spent judiciously, and if it were not the fact could be promptly reported to Peking.

Will Look to the West.

Reports which have reached the state department show that the necessity of western education now strongly is felt in Peking. The empress dowager has completely abandoned her conservative ideas of education and is encouraging her subjects to go abroad, especially to Japan and the United States, and there learn the ways of the west. She has set the example by ordering the princes of the imperial house to prepare to go to western countries for instruction. One imperial prince will be sent to Japan, another to Europe, and a third, the youngest brother of the emperor, will come to the United States.

HURRIED TO SANTO DOMINGO.

United States Cruiser Tacoma Receives Rush Order—Italian Warships on the Way.

Pensacola, Fla., April 21.—The cruiser Tacoma received orders tonight to proceed to Santo Domingo. The Tacoma took on coal and stores immediately and will sail during the night. It is stated here that a number of warships have been ordered to Santo Domingo by the Italian government.

WAR ON RICH QUICK FRAUD

POSTMASTER GENERAL BEGINS AN ENERGETIC CRUSADE.

Newspapers Will Be Scanned for Advertisements of Supposed Swindling Concerns and Prosecutions May Follow Investigation—If No Evidences of Deception Are Found Mail Will Be Delivered to Persons to Whom It Is Addressed.

Washington, D. C., April 21.—[Special.]—Postmaster General Cortelyou has inaugurated an energetic policy to prevent a too trusting public from being swindled. Heretofore the postoffice department has waited to receive complaints against persons or companies engaged in illegal business before issuing fraud orders prohibiting their use of the mails.

Hereafter newspapers will be scanned for advertisements inviting people to join in "get-rich-quick" schemes and any which on their face appear questionable will be made the subject of investigation by an inspector of the postoffice department. It also is intended even before the investigation is begun to stop delivery of mail at a place designated in the advertisement. If investigation should prove the business is legitimate then the mail will be delivered to the person to whom it is addressed.

Ends Much Fraud Work.

The postoffice department is confident it practically has ended the operations of men who advertise for money to bet on the races, claiming that with special information they are able to pick winners every time. Now it is after what are known as "discretionary wheat pools," which are believed to be operating in every big city in the country. These pools are made up of swindlers who advertise for money, alleging that with large sums they will be able to manipulate the market and pay dividends of 3 per cent weekly, and perhaps more.

Dividends are paid for a few weeks out of moneys received from other sources and when the swindlers finally get several million dollars together, or less if they are not so ambitious, they notify their dupes the market has gone against them and that the entire capital has been wiped out.

Opens Eyes of Department.

The department asserts these pools do not buy or sell a bushel of wheat. A fraud order recently was issued against a Philadelphia firm which had collected considerable money by this method of tricky finance. This case opened the eyes of the department to the business which has ensnared many.

The department also has been looking into certain mining propositions, in which the public credulously invested. For instance, a company will be organized for the exploitation of property next to a paying mine. It will put out shares and collect considerable money. The difficulty about prosecuting companies of this character is that there is a chance the enterprise is legitimate. The matter has received careful attention, but no decision yet has been arrived at as to the course which shall be pursued.

Exposes Mexican Land Scheme.

City of Mexico, April 21.—American Consul General Parsons has commenced an investigation of the alleged colonist schemes of the Pan-American Land company in Chiapas. Numerous complaints have been filed with the consul general. Induced by advertisements of the company, farmers of western Texas, Oklahoma, Nebraska, and Washington state came to Chiapas at their expense to investigate.

It is alleged that the Pan-American Land company bought 10,000 acres from the state government for $5,000 and by advertising sold town lots for over $375,000, gold. The advertisements pictured comfortable homes being erected and extensive railroad shops and cultivated lands. The investigators found the few railroad buildings of the Pan-American railroad were being removed to better towns—Geronimo and Tola—and claim the so-called cultivated lands were a sandy waste. The officers of the company at Kansas City have been summoned to appear here to explain.

Gen. Parsons promises additional and startling action on the part of other companies operating on the isthmus of Tehuantepec.

Charges Against Zinc Concern.

St. Louis, Mo., April 21.—[Special.]—Incorporating for $1,000,000 a company with property worth only $40,000, paying dividends from stock sales, and declaring a receivership without even paying the purchase price of the mines it operated, are the charges made against the Continental Zinc company, afterward known as the International, by Joseph E. Briggs of Winthrop Center, Me. Briggs is suing Albert C. Foster and John B. Carmichael of Omaha, officers of the company, for $5,000 subscribed by him for stock. At the trial in the state court the case went against Briggs, but the federal Court of Appeals today reversed the decision and remanded the case for a new trial.

Temporary Receiver for Ubero.

Boston, Mass., April 21.—The Consolidated Ubero Plantations company, a Maine corporation, with a place of business in this city, was placed in the hands of Jeremiah Smith, Jr., as temporary receiver, by Judge Colt in the United States Circuit court today.

WOULD DENY STANDARD PLEA.

Missouri's Attorney General Asks Supreme Court to Strike Out Trust's Denials in Case.

Jefferson City, Mo., April 21.—A motion was filed in the Supreme court today by Attorney General Hadley to strike out the pleadings filed by the Standard Oil company and the Republic Oil company to his information alleging a combination. These pleadings deny the allegations filed by the attorney general and attack the constitutionality of the anti-trust law. Attorney General Hadley contends that such pleadings cannot be filed in the Supreme court, and bases this contention on decisions in the case of former Attorney General Crow against the fire insurance companies several years ago.

Kentucky Bank Assigns.

Bowling Green, Ky., April 21.—P. J. Potter's Sons, private bankers, with a capital of $75,000 and $750,000 deposits filed a deed of assignment today. It was one of the oldest banks in southern Kentucky. It is announced that they will pay dollar for dollar without touching their large real estate holdings.

MORTON TO STAY WHILE ASSAILED

Secretary of Navy Will Not Quit Cabinet to Please Political Enemies.

PRESIDENT BACKS HIM.

Willing That Truth Shall Come Out in Connection with Rebate Charges.

Washington, D. C., April 21.—[Special.]—It may be stated authoritatively that the movement which has been inaugurated by political enemies of the president to drive Secretary Morton from the cabinet has had directly the opposite effect—that is, of causing the secretary of the navy to determine to remain in office so long as he believes he is under fire.

Mr. Morton had intended to retire on March 4. Agitation which developed in connection with the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé railroad rebate charges had the effect of inducing him to listen to the wishes of the president that he should stay as a member of his official family. At the time the interstate commerce commission recommended that the Atchison system be prosecuted for granting rebates to the Colorado Fuel and Iron company it generally was understood Mr. Morton would retire some time in June.

As a result of rumors growing out of the further investigation which has been made by Attorneys Harmon and Judson, special counsel for the department of justice, it seems certain Mr. Morton will not get out so long as it might be said he was forced to resign because of alleged guilt on account of the Atchison case.

More Money in Railroad Work.

Financially Mr. Morton of course would find retirement to civil life greatly to his advantage. He has his position on the Atchison system still open, and it is reported he could have the presidency of the Clover Leaf system if he wanted it. There is no doubt, from statements made by President Roosevelt before he left Washington, that if he could have his way Mr. Morton would remain in the cabinet during the remainder of his term.

Mr. Morton has proved himself to be a man of sound judgment, in possession of a broad, comprehensive grasp on national questions, which enable him to give advice to the president, said by the latter to be of great value. Mr. Morton has been particularly serviceable to the president in connection with the formulation of his views and their expression in connection with the railroad rate question. As secretary of the navy Mr. Morton introduced a number of sensible business reforms which simplified the work of his department and enabled a smoother transaction of naval business.

These satisfactory qualities which Mr. Morton displayed have appealed to the president and are responsible for his effort to induce the secretary to change his mind about leaving the official circle in Washington. But Mr. Morton has no intention of remaining in office any longer than he deems advisable. Not that he believes he is in need of vindication. He takes the position that he has done absolutely nothing which justifies the outcry raised against him. He will not talk about what he did while a private citizen and holding the position of vice president of the Atchison system.

Willing to Tell Truth.

The secretary is perfectly willing the whole truth shall be known and he wasn't at all concerned when informed that the senate committee on interstate commerce was considering the advisability of calling upon him for information upon the railroad rate question generally, but specifically upon the charges that rebates were given by the Atchison company to the Colorado Fuel and Iron company. In fact, he said he was perfectly willing to respond to any call of the committee and he gladly would appear before it and tell all he knew in regard to rebates and the attitude which the Atchison system observed while he was filling the office of vice president.

Mr. Morton asserts there is no letter in existence to show he had authorized rebates to the Colorado Fuel and Iron company or that he had ever signed a letter of any such character. If he should be called upon to testify before the senate committee he might supplement the statement of Victor Morawetz, counsel for the Atchison road, but he would, in a general way, only confirm the explanation which the attorney gave. He would claim, as Mr. Morawetz said, that the charges grew out of a confusion of the cost of transportation and the cost of coal; that the Atchison system collected a charge of $4.05 a ton on coal. It reserved a transportation charge of $2.90 for itself and turned over $1.15, the price of coal a ton, to the Colorado Fuel and Iron company.

To Resume Private Car Inquiry.

The interstate commerce commission is preparing to resume the examination of the officials of the private car lines and shippers after it has heard the complaint of the Michigan fruit shippers against the Armour car lines and the Père Marquette and Michigan Central roads. Complaints against the private car lines which will be inquired into allege that certain shippers receive concessions in connection with refrigeration charges which have the character of rebates; that the cost of transportation to the public has been increased as a result of the practical monopoly enjoyed by the private car lines in the movement of a number of commodities and by the higher rates charged shippers renting cars than is fixed for shippers owning cars.

Subpœnas have been issued and served on a number of shippers and officials. Among the shipping interests which will be examined are the Commercial league of Duluth, the National League of Commission Merchants of the United States, South Water street merchants of Chicago, and others. The commission will continue an examination of the Armour car lines in order to get at their extent and the number of cars, and also determine what is a reasonable rate.

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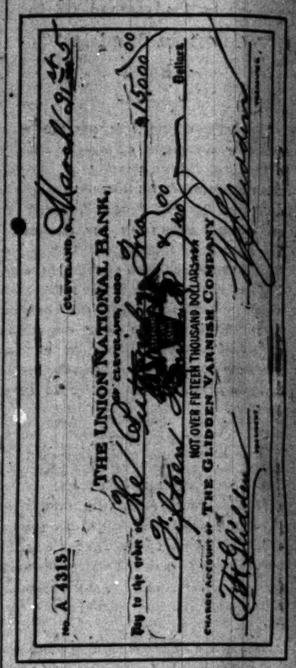

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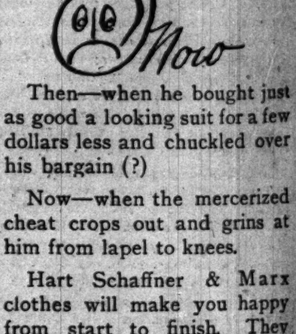

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UNIONS HESITATE TO SPREAD STRIKE

Teamsters' Council Decides Against Calling Out More Men Today.

CALL IT "DAY OF GRACE."

Employers See in Action Sign of Wavering in Fear of Being Defeated.

The spread of the teamsters' strike, which yesterday threatened to reach at least three other large business houses in addition to Montgomery Ward & Co., was checked suddenly last night by the union leaders. On the point of entering a general contest the men who are directing the struggle halted. To the union leaders it was called only a postponement. To employers the hesitation suggested a wavering ominous of defeat.

The action declaring at least another day's truce was taken by the teamster's joint council at 10 o'clock. Ostensibly summoned to broaden the field of hostilities, the council refused to spread the strike beyond its present limits. This was at the close of a day in which every move and sentiment of the union leaders had been for a greater outlook.

In the afternoon an "ultimatum" had been served on Marshall Field & Co. and Siegel, Cooper & Co. Employers confidently expected the teamsters hired by these firms to be called out this morning. They practically were told as much by the strike leaders. In their council, however, the teamsters decided to give another "day of grace." They will meet again tonight after another conference this afternoon with employers to render a final decision.

Radical Action by Employers.

While the teamsters were temporizing the employers were planning radical action with a view to clarifying the strike atmosphere. It was rumored that union drivers would be given a choice today between delivering goods to Ward & Co. or being discharged. Every teamster, it is rumored, is to be compelled this morning with a lockout ultimatum. Employers declared they were tired of waiting for the storm to break and were ready to take initiatory measures to make the teamsters "show their hand."

The grand jury, in the meantime, is to investigate the strike. What promises to be a searching and unique inquiry by that body began this morning. The members of the jury, it was said, were determined to be satisfied with nothing less than a complete survey of the underlying causes of the strike. Charges of "graft," too, may receive consideration.

Mayor Through with Negotiations.

Mayor Dunne put an end to all talk of the mission of peace negotiations by declaring that, so far as he was concerned, they would not be resumed. In anticipation of an increase of violence the mayor also importuned the strike leaders to preserve peace. President Shea of the teamsters and President Gompers of the Federation of Labor assured the mayor they would urge restraint upon the strikers.

"I asked the labor leaders," said Mayor Dunne, "to exert their influence to see that no violence is resorted to in the strike and to prevent the strike from spreading, and I also asked the employers to use their good offices with those engaged in the labor difficulty to bring about peace as rapidly as possible."

Appeal on Department Stores.

The appeal of the teamsters on the two department stores was delivered in the afternoon. In substance, it called upon the drivers to cease hauling goods to Ward & Co. as a penalty of a spread of the strike to other concerns. President Shea headed the committee. He was accompanied by Peter J. Del Stevens, T. J. Ryan, D. H. Cronin, Emmet Flood, W. J. Gibbons, and A. J. Reed. The committee first went to Orson Pirie, Scott & Co., where John T. Pirie, jr., was seen.

"We are delivering goods to Montgomery Ward & Co., which house has been placed under boycott by the teamsters' union," was the committee's statement. "In doing so we are union drivers you are discriminating against the union."

Mr. Pirie gave the committee little satisfaction. He did not argue the case, but referred the unionists to the Employers' association, with which organization, he said, his firm was allied.

"Everything pertaining to the strike is in the hands of the association," he announced. "As an individual firm we can take no action in this matter."

Find United Front of Employers.

Practically the same reply was given the committee by Marshall Field & Co. The teamsters asked to see John G. Shedd, but in his absence were received by James Simpson, his assistant.

"We know nothing about the strike," said Mr. Simpson. "If you have any demands to make you should inform the Employers' association."

The chief information the union committee gleaned from the two visits was that the united front of employers was more real than imaginary.

There was a private conference immediately following the visits of the committee to the two stores. Only a half dozen of the strike leaders were invited to this conference, and it was said it was called for the purpose of considering the ending of the strike. At the last moment, it was said, growing alarmed at the magnitude of the conflict which was opening up before them, the leaders hesitated to enter it. Later it was decided to call together the teamsters' joint council at 8 o'clock, which was done with the result stated in the foregoing.

Gathering Nonunion Drivers.

The Employers' association, meanwhile, did not relax in the careful preparations under way for the last week for a big contest with organized labor. At the Union League club meeting at 1 o'clock thirty members were present and the reports of committees intrusted with carrying out the detailed plans of defense showed progress.

The employers were understood to be gathering together hundreds of nonunion teamsters who might be used to break the strike, should it spread, on a few hours' notice.

"We can have 500 nonunion drivers in Chicago in six hours if we need them," said one prominent employer.

Following the Union League meeting Robert J. Thorne, manager of Montgomery Ward & Co., held a long consultation with Attorney Levy Mayer.

"We were just talking over the general situation," said Mr. Thorne. "Unless the unforeseen develops we are satisfied with present safeguards, and no further move, legal or otherwise, is contemplated."

Grand Jury Work Today.

The grand jury investigation which begins this morning promises to be without a precedent in this country. Not only will the causes of the strike be considered in detail but likewise every feature of its progress, including charges of graft against labor leaders. In order to devote its entire attention to the inquiry the hearing of testimony in docket cases will be continued indefinitely. Subpoenas for witnesses in such cases were recalled in the afternoon, and others requiring the presence in the grand jury room today of various persons figuring in the strike were substituted.

The identity of these persons was not revealed by Assistant State's Attorney Going, while it was intimated that members of the Employers' association who called at the state's attorney's office Thursday to request a grand jury investigation would be the first persons to testify.

Later representatives of the various labor unions involved in the strike will be asked to furnish their side of the controversy, whereupon the jury will decide what shall be its course of action afterward. The Employers' association, through its attorney, Levy Mayer, has asserted its ability to furnish evidence in seventy-four cases of strike violence and its wish that the voting of indictments be considered in all of these.

In addition, if the jury is agreeable, the association desires the privilege of presenting evidence which will justify indictments for conspiracy, but such evidence, it is understood, will be reserved for consideration in connection with the "graft" charges.

In order to complete the hearing of evidence in all docket cases for which witnesses had been subpoenaed the jury did not adjourn yesterday until 6:30 o'clock in the evening.

Little Violence in Streets.

Little violence was encountered in the delivery of merchandise to and from the Ward establishment, the issuance of the injunction in behalf of the company against the strikers having acted as a "sedative" in the belief of the company's officials. Copies of the injunction in large type were posted in the neighborhood of the building and on both sides of wagons making deliveries. Many of the wagons also bore a card inscribed:

"Employers' Teaming company. Goods for Montgomery Ward & Co."

During the afternoon the latter part of this inscription was torn off, although copies of the injunction remained in place as a warning to pickets or strike sympathizers.

A team of horses, hitched to a Ward wagon and feeding from coal bags at the Madison street side of the building shortly after noon, ran away when one of a group of seven men standing near by threw acid over them. The horses were stopped at Wabash avenue by a private detective. The men escaped, although detectives were detailed by Assistant Chief Schuettler to search for them.

Attack and Beat a Negro.

Union pickets in the evening attacked and beat a negro who had been employed as cook in the nonunion barracks at 20 Lake street. When rescued the negro was almost insensible.

The first attack on a wagon belonging to the new Employers' Teaming company occurred in the evening when a crowd of newsboys and strike sympathizers threw stones and fruit at the drivers.

Chief of Police O'Neill issued many commissions during the day to special policemen. Most of the applications came from men who are engaged in guarding the big manufacturing plants which may become involved in the strike. Chief O'Neill denied that the new Employers' Teaming company had sought protection of the regular police.

Will Try to Modify Injunction.

Attorneys for the unions said the injunctions would have little or no effect on the tactics of the strikers. Daniel L. Cruice of counsel for the teamsters said that an attempt doubtless would be made to have the order modified in several particulars, and that later arguments would be submitted to have it dissolved entirely, although the time for such action had not been determined.

LITTLE GIRL WOULD END LIFE.

Nellie Lombard, 12 Years Old, Is Prevented from Jumping in Lake at Evanston.

William Bussey prevented Nellie Lombard, 12 years old, from jumping into the lake at Evanston yesterday. The child was standing on a pier at the foot of Kedzie street. She was taken to the Illinois Industrial School for Girls.

"My mother," said the child, "lives in a little house north of Calvary cemetery, and she drinks and beats me. Papa died several years ago.

"Mother beat me yesterday with a big stick and I would have jumped into the lake if the man hadn't caught me."

BUYS REVOLVER; KILLS FRIEND.

Young Robert Berglund, 799 Mozart Street, "Didn't Know It Was Loaded"—Robert Shore Dead.

Robert Shore, 17 years old, 799 North Mozart street, was shot and instantly killed last night by Robert Berglund on the front doorstep of the Berglund home, 804 North Mozart street. Berglund "didn't know it was loaded" and the police call it an accident. Young Berglund says that he and Shore were standing on the step when he drew from his pocket a revolver which he had purchased yesterday and was showing it to his friend. While he was explaining how the hammer operated the revolver was discharged and Shore fell dead with a wound in the side. Berglund was locked up pending the inquest.

WOMAN DIES OF MENINGITIS.

Mrs. Thea Tengwald, Wife of Pastor of Elim Church, a Victim to the Fever.

Funeral services for Mrs. Thea Tengwald, who died on Monday of cerebro spinal meningitis, will be held this afternoon in Elim Swedish Evangelical Lutheran church. She was the wife of the Rev. Victor Tengwald, pastor of the church. Mrs. Tengwald was active in the work of Elim church and of the denominational missionary societies. She was ill only three days.

President Roosevelt on Trail of Bear in Colorado.

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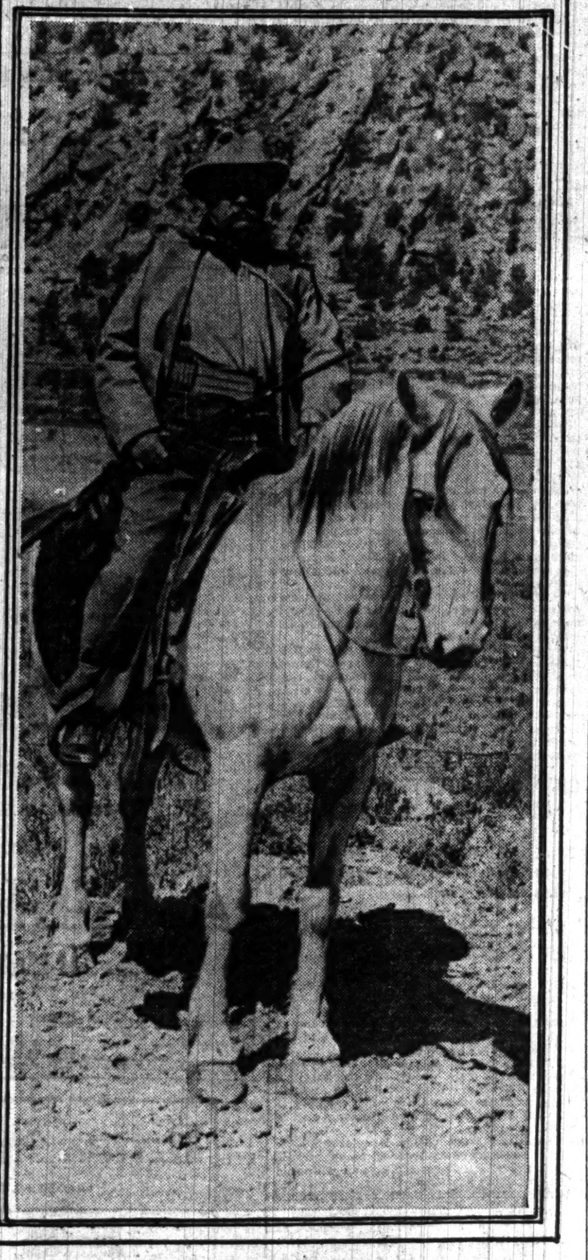

THE PRESIDENT.

PRESIDENT FINDS IDEAL CAMP.

Roosevelt Bags No Game, but Is Delighted with Ranch and Will Make It Headquarters.

Camp Roosevelt, Colo., April 21.—[Special.]—During the course of a twenty-five mile ride President Roosevelt, Dr. Lambert, and Guards Goff and Wells found no game, but the president located a beautiful little park on Bunn ranch, where the next camp will be pitched.

The new camp site is surrounded by meadows on which there are plenty of grasses for horses and a little rivulet of sparkling mountain water is close by. The president fell in love with the spot immediately. He decided to abandon the project of moving to Gregor ranch and to move to Bunn ranch instead. The new site is twenty-six miles from New Castle and in the heart of the huntsman hills.

Although the day was fine, big game apparently had not discovered that the blizzard was over and no fresh trails were struck.

In Housecleaning Use Platt's Chlorides to disinfect the floors before relaying carpets.

THEODORE JR. LOSES HIS DOG.

Police Force of Washington Searching City for Bull Terrier, Pet of President's Son.

Washington, D. C., April 21.—[Special.]—There is a dog lost from the White house, and the police of Washington are searching high and low for him.

This notice was sent out to all police precincts in Washington tonight:

Look out for a brindle Boston bull terrier with white neck. Had on a collar engraved with the name "Foster." Strayed this p. m. from the White house. The dog is the property of Master Theodore Roosevelt.

$14.00 TO THE DAKOTAS

Via the Northwestern Line.

One-way second class tickets on sale April 25 to a large number of points in North and South Dakota and Minnesota. Good on fast through trains. Full information at ticket offices, 212 Clark street and Wells Street Station. (Tel. Cent. 721.)

ROBBERS THROW VICTIM OFF CAR.

Edwin Herron Loses Over $100 and Suffers a Sprained Ankle.

CONDUCTOR DENIES AID.

Woman Reports That Sister and Brother-in-Law Tied and Robbed Her.

Robbed and thrown from a trolley car on the South Halsted street line last night, Edwin Herron, a driver for the Manhattan Bottling company, suffered a sprained ankle and other injuries.

Herron boarded a north bound car at Twenty-sixth street and stood on the rear platform. In the next block three men boarded the car and took places on the platform near him. As the car neared the Chicago and Alton viaduct at Archer avenue Herron felt the hand of one of the men in his pocket.

"As the man attempted to draw his hand away," said Herron, "I grabbed him and shouted for help, asking the conductor, who was standing in the door of the car, to hold the other two men. The men said: 'No, you are not robbed,' and they and the conductor laughed.

"Then all three of them caught me and threw me from the moving car. I could not get up for some minutes after I fell, and the car did not stop."

Herron fell under the viaduct, but managed to get to the corner at Archer avenue, where he boarded a south bound car to go to the Stockyards police station. It proved to be the car on which he was robbed, making its return trip. As he got on the car he recognized the conductor and demanded his number, which was refused. Herron secured it, however, and also the number of the motorman and that of the car.

He gave the conductor's number to the police as 1,125, the motorman's as 1,102, and the car number as 2,748. From his description of the robbers the police think they know them.

Herron claimed to have had $102 in his purse, the amount being one day's collection for the company by which he is employed.

Says She Was Tied and Robbed.

The police of the Desplaines street station are investigating the story of Mrs. William Osmer, 106 South Desplaines street, who declares she was robbed of $360 after being made a prisoner in her home. According to her story her sister and brother-in-law attacked her after her husband had gone to his work. She says they tied her in a chair and left the house with a purse containing $60, a diamond studded watch valued at $250, and several pieces of jewelry. Detectives Dempsey and Kearney, who were assigned to the case, could find no evidence of the robbery and were told conflicting stories by the alleged victim. The accused couple could not be found.

Stolen Property Recovered.

Joseph Hess and Ladislaw Olisar, who are locked up at the Warren avenue station, have confessed committing fourteen burglaries on the west side in the last six months and several hundred dollars' worth of property which they stole has been recovered. Mrs. Eleanor Dooley, Theresa Dorgan, Jessie Beck, and Irene Schafer are under arrest on charges of receiving stolen goods.

Persons who have identified some of the property recovered are: J. F. Burdette, 885 St. Louis avenue; W. A. Press, 53 South Albany avenue; A. V. Horsman, 1176 Jackson boulevard; Mrs. Lucy Voorhees, 616 West Monroe street; and Laurence Sievert, Harrison street and Western avenue.

Police Away; Burglar Works.

At noon, while the police of the Hyde Park station were held in reserve for strike duty, a burglar visited the home of W. S. Burdick, 4818 Champlain avenue, and took jewelry to the value of several hundred dollars. It is believed that the robbery was committed by the same man who entered the apartments of George F. Burdick, 378 Dearborn avenue, Wednesday afternoon and escaped with a diamond brooch valued at $650.

When returning to his home early in the morning Louis Rabalish, 90 Polk street, was stopped by three men at Forty-third street and Ashland avenue and robbed of $45. Rabalish asked that he be given car fare to his home.

"I have no change and I won't give you a bill, so walk," one of the robbers replied.

PAULSEN AGAIN IN CELL.

FORMER PRESIDENT OF WRECKED BANK IN MORE TROUBLE.

After Long and Successful Fight to Keep Out of Penitentiary He Is Arrested on Charge of Giving a Worthless Check for $2,600 to Repay a Loan—"I'm an Ill-Starred Man," He Says, "and Am Innocent."

Within four months after the close of his long, spectacular, and finally successful fight to escape confinement in the penitentiary, William A. Paulsen, who was president of the wrecked Central Trust and Savings bank, is again behind the bars, forced to begin anew his struggle for liberty.

The former banker was arrested yesterday by Central station detectives on a warrant charging him with having repaid a loan to Simon Hamberg of Wheaton with a worthless check for $2,600. He was taken to the Dupage county jail by a deputy sheriff.

The detectives found Paulsen in the offices of Turnock & Ohrenstein, architects, at 76 Fifth avenue, where he is said to have worked as a draftsman since his release from custody last December. He was taken to the City Hall police stationed and questioned.

"I'm an Ill-Starred Man," He Says.

"I am an ill-starred man," he said, calmly. "The last time I was charged with a felony, and it took me nine years to prove my innocence. But I still have a little fight left in me. I know nothing of any worthless check for $2,600."

Paulsen had secured his freedom from Judge Bishop of Du Page county, Dec. 27, on a technicality. It originally was charged that in 1896 he had accepted a deposit within thirty days prior to the failure of the bank of which he was president. In the lower court he was found guilty and sentenced to three years in the penitentiary. Previously he had been denied bail and forced to spend six months in the county jail. The Illinois Supreme court admitted him to bail, and he appealed to that tribunal for acquittal, but the ruling of the lower court was affirmed, and it seemed certain that Paulsen was destined for the penitentiary. Immediately his attorneys appealed the case to the federal Supreme court, and again he was admitted to bail.

Freed by Change in Law.

Then the legislature enacted a law providing that a banker must know of the insolvency of his bank before he could be criminally liable for accepting deposits, but made no provision for holding men who had been convicted under the old law. Paulsen's attorneys discovered this loophole and Paulsen was one of the men released because of the changed law.

Then Paulsen returned to Chicago. His legal battles, together with the bank's failure, he declared, had left him penniless. His residence at 3865 Lake avenue was dark last evening. It was reported that Mrs. Paulsen and her little son had gone to Wheaton.

AFTER THE ALL NIGHT SALOONS.

Three Proprietors of Downtown Places Arrested Charged with Disobeying 1 O'Clock Closing Ordinance.

The central detail police have begun a movement against saloonkeepers who defy the 1 o'clock closing ordinance. Three proprietors were arrested last evening on warrants which were issued by Justice Caverly. All gave bonds for their appearance at Harrison street court this morning. They were:

John Prosser, 75 Fifth avenue, saloon open at 3 o'clock.

Patrick Cline, 235 Madison street, open all night.

John Righeimer of O'Connor & Righeimer, 75 Clark street.

An effort will be made to have the licenses of these saloons revoked.

Mayor Dunne yesterday reiterated an order issued earlier by Mayor Harrison that "whisky row," in State street, between Harrison and Twelfth, must be cleared of women after May 1. This order is equivalent to closing most of these places, which thrive on the presence of women.

PRIEST DIES WHILE IN CHAIR.

Father Michael A. Bruton Stricken Suddenly at the Parochial Residence in Superior Street.

Father Michael A. Bruton, during twenty-seven years a Roman Catholic priest of the Chicago diocese, died suddenly of heart disease yesterday while he was seated in a chair at the parochial residence, 311 East Superior street. He had been stationed recently in Rosecrans and Morrison, Ill. The funeral will take place from the cathedral Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

KOWOSKI IS SOUGHT IN VAIN.

Police, However, Believe Man Suspected of Murder of Woman Is Still in Chicago.

Descriptions of Victor Kowoski, printed in the official police bulletin yesterday, and the work of scores of detectives in each part of the city, were futile in securing the apprehension of the man who is accused of the murder of Mrs. Katherine Gurka in her home at 94 Front street on Thursday. The Polish settlements of the west and north side and South Chicago were searched by policemen, who thought the man might have sought refuge there under an assumed name. Inspector Revere feels sure that Kowoski has not left the city. Ten year old William Stipunki, the home of whose parents is on the same lot with that of Mrs. Gurka, told the police he saw Kowoski leave the house in the morning after the murder. Relatives of Mrs. Gurka, who were questioned by the police, could assign no reason save robbery for the crime.

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It is true that advertising has a permanent effect and that the educational work you are now doing—if you are an advertiser—will be of great benefit for years to come. But it is also true that when you stop advertising the impression you have made fades from the public mind, whereas if you continue to keep your business story before the people you will increasingly strengthen your hold upon them.

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W. H. WANAMAKER WILL WED; HIS AGE 70, FIANCEE'S 25.

Brother of Philadelphia Merchant to Marry Miss Mabel Walton, Who Was Tutor of His Children.

North Adams, Mass., April 21.—[Special.]—Although not yet ready to make a formal announcement, Mr. and Mrs. John Walton of this city today confirmed the report of the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mabel L. Walton, to William H. Wanamaker of Philadelphia. Wanamaker is a brother of John Wanamaker. Miss Walton is a teacher and resides in Philadelphia. Wanamaker is 70 and his fiancée is 25.

Walton, who sorts wool in a North Adams manufacturing company's mill, says on his marriage Wanamaker will retire from business and travel with his bride. The wedding probably will take place in the fall.

Miss Walton was born in this city, graduated from Smith college, and afterward taught in the schools of this city. After some years of travel in Europe she located in Philadelphia, where she has been teaching several years. She is a devoted worker in the Congregational church, and it was through her church work that Wanamaker met her. His children came under her care as tutor. Wanamaker's first wife died last year.

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MOSSLER CO., 121 Monroe Street.

COURTS ONLY AID TO EQUITABLE MEN

General Agents Get No Help from Insurance Superintendent or Governor.

NEXT MOVE NOT GIVEN OUT

Factionists Keep on "Lid" Against Publicity, but Hyde's Ousting Freely Predicted.

New York, April 21.—[Special.]—The first move of the committee of general agents of the Equitable Life Assurance society to mutualize the society, oust James Hazen Hyde, the first vice president, learn who owns the $80,000,000 surplus of the organization, and to correct the alleged evils of the society has for the nonce been blocked. Not viciously nor intentionally, but merely because neither Gov. Higgins nor Mr. Hendricks, superintendent of insurance, were able to give the relief asked for.

The committee of forty appointed by the agents' convention, which adjourned yesterday, called first on Mr. Hendricks in Syracuse and Chairman Bowes of Baltimore eloquently set forth the general agents' ills and grievances against Mr. Hyde and the way the society was conducted.

"I'd Like To, but——" Says Hendricks.

"I'd like to help you and bring about mutualization," said Mr. Hendricks, "but only the courts can do this."

And the forty wended their way to Gov. Higgins and told of their troubles and wishes.

"I should like to aid you very much," said the governor, "but in this state there are courts that do these things such as amend charters and the like. So, I fear you must go to the courts. I cannot even say if the time ever will come when it would seem wise to ask the legislature to pass any particular bill with reference to the Equitable Life. I am deeply concerned with your troubles and wish I might dispel them, but I cannot. You must go to the courts."

Further Action Not Announced.

And the forty members, at last reports, were "up against it," as far as immediate action was concerned. Their next move is not announced.

In the factional fight here between Hyde and Alexander forces the "lid was on" as far as publicity was concerned. Rumors were rife, however. One Alexander man said the "lid" soon would come off with even greater disclosures than ever.

The report that Alexander had been asked to resign was denied. It was said that no resignations would be demanded until the Frick investigation committee had reported.

The agreement reached between the Hyde and Alexander factionists on Thursday to discontinue the campaign of publicity regarding the charges and counter charges now before the Frick committee for investigation was strictly enforced today. That the period of silence would, however, be short lived is the opinion of almost everybody familiar with the details of the controversy.

Hyde Out in Six Weeks.

One Alexander man predicted the campaign will be on in the open again within a week, accompanied by disclosures more astounding to the policy holders than those already made. This man asserted positively that Hyde, in his opinion, would be out of the society within six weeks. He said the shots that had been fired against Hyde were merely popgun affairs. There are, it is declared, plenty of heavy artillery charges which will be exploded if necessary, and he believed it probably would be necessary.

F. A. McNamee of Albany, one of the secretaries of the conference of general agents, said:

"The object of our conference has not been defeated. Hyde will resign within sixty days."

Resignations Wait Frick Report.

The report that Hyde and his party will demand the resignation of Gage E. Tarbell from the society within a few days is officially denied. While it is understood that either Hyde or his associates or Alexander and his supporters must eventually retire from the society's administrative force if the controversy is prolonged, no effort, it is said, will be made by either side to force the resignation of any member of the opposition faction until the Frick investigating committee has reported.

No comment was made by any of the Equitable officers on the suit brought by a Chicago policy holder in the federal court to force the society into the hands of a receiver. It is evident, however, that the news of the action of the federal court is regarded seriously by the officers of the society.

James H. Hyde tonight issued the following statement in reply to the committee of agents which waited on him yesterday:

"Dear Sir—The subject upon which you have addressed me involves the consideration of the whole unhappy controversy which has been in progress for several months past. The injurious effect of that controversy upon your fortunes I appreciate. In that controversy I feel that I have been treated with great injustice. So far as any good results could be served by the resignation of any officer responsible for the injury which the society has suffered and is doubtless to suffer in the future, your request is misdirected.

"In view of the concessions I have been willing to make for the welfare of the society I resent your misguided action, taken in utter ignorance of the true situation. Your request is merely another move in the campaign of attack originally devised. When the facts are known to the policy holders I believe that all right minded men among them will be as indignant as I am with the methods that have been employed by my enemies for their own ends, in pursuing which they have not hesitated to sacrifice the best interests of the society.

Says Agents Did Not Aid Peace.

"Your action, instead of furnishing a solution of the present unfortunate situation, renders the difficulty more acute. It is regrettable that in this situation the convention of managers did not take advantage of its opportunity to become a factor in promoting honorable peace.

"The plea of mutualization was a mere sham under cover of which it was designed by these leaders to wrest the control of the society from the responsible hands of the most representative body of directors in this country and to transfer it to their own grasp through the use of the agencies as instrumentalities.

"I can understand the desire of your body for mutualization, but I have never believed and I do not now believe that a system of control which virtually places the agents over the directors and officers is sound in principle."

Agents Call on Hendricks.

Syracuse, N. Y., April 21.—[Special.]—About forty members of the committee appointed by the general agents' convention of the Equitable Life Assurance society came to this city this morning and called upon Superintendent of Insurance Francis Hendricks.

Joseph Bowes of Baltimore, chairman, read the resolutions adopted by the agents in favor of the mutualization and then read his own address.

Supt. Hendricks answered as follows:

"As far as the mutualization of the company is concerned I already have expressed myself clearly. I am much in favor of that outcome.

Court Must Decide, Says Hendricks.

"The question must be determined by the courts. If Judge Maddox decided that I have no power to put in force an amended charter an appeal may be made, either to the Court of Appeals or the United States courts.

"The proposition in the hands of the attorney general I am disposed to accept. It provides that policy holders shall elect twenty-eight out of fifty-two directors and I believe that under it it will be only a question of time when the policy holders shall be in full control. Whether the legislation is feasible or not I favor mutualization and in the meantime the Frick committee has asked questions of the officers which will take them thirty or forty days to answer."

Governor Gives No Help.

Albany, N. Y., April 21.—[Special.]—Gov. Higgins and the committee of general agents of the Equitable Life Assurance society were able to come to no agreement today as to the course of action to be pursued for furthering the mutualization of the Equitable, though they had a meeting this afternoon.

Joseph Bowes of Baltimore spoke on the half of the agents and followed the lines of his remarks to Supt. Hendricks at Syracuse.

"I would be glad to do anything," said Gov. Higgins in reply, "within reason to bring about mutualization. But difficulties that arise between citizens in New York can not be settled by the governor nor by the legislature, and must be settled in this state by the courts.

"The question has been raised as to whether the legislature could not alter the charter of the Equitable. I think, perhaps, it could, but the question still remains as to whether the stockholders, if they saw fit to reject the altered charter, could not refuse to act under it and in that case they would be compelled to go into the hands of a receiver, or close up the business of the Equitable Life.

"I do not feel at liberty at present to assure you whether the time will come when it will seem wise to ask the legislature to pass any particular bill with reference to the Equitable Life, but at all times I shall be interested more largely in the interests of the policy holders of the Equitable Life Assurance society than in the interests of any other person or party connected with it."

It was learned late tonight upon reliable authority that a bill has been prepared and will be introduced in the legislature early next week, embodying the views of the agents and policy holders, providing for complete and early mutualization of the Equitable. Under its provisions all of the fifty-two directors of the society would be elected by the policy holders.

STREET RAILWAY FABLE CARRIES A MORAL ON MAKING HARE SOUP.

Yesterday was a dull day in Union Traction circles. The high officials and financiers interested in that corporation found themselves with a lot of idle time on their hands. They had discussed their attitude toward the city and the city's toward them till the subject was threadbare. Finally one of them, who had read Aesop's fables when he was young, was seized with a literary bent, and he evolved this "Street Railway Fable" as expressing his and his companions' idea of the situation. It was the first time he had ever "written a piece," and his modesty was so great he would not allow his name to go with it. The fable is:

Once upon a time in a great City afflicted with a disease called Municipal Ownership, which some flippant person described as an itch for other people's property, varied and prolonged and oft repeated discussions took place between the Municipal authorities and other willing-to-be interested people as to the kind of improvements it was wise for the City to make in the street railways (owned, by the way, it should be added, by other people). A Representative of foreign street railways was called to the solemn Municipal Council Board.

The fact that the street railways were owned by other people did not operate as any damper upon Municipal enthusiasm, nor was there any real intention disclosed to buy or pay for the properties.

Only some fugitive and irrelevant suggestions were made—and they were practically all declared out of order—as to what kind of stage money was to be given in exchange for the properties, some even going so far as to insist that perhaps a new kind of green goods to be called Mueller Certificates might be worked off on the strangers who were the real owners.

MORAL: The best recipe yet devised for the making of Hare Soup is, FIRST, CATCH THE HARE.

FOURTEEN DIE IN CONVENT FIRE; BUILDING IS IN ASHES.

Nun of St. Anne in Genevieve, Canada, Is Overcome While Rescuing Children—Occupants in Panic.

Montreal, April 21.—The little village of St. Genevieve is in mourning tonight over the loss of fourteen lives in a fire which destroyed the convent of St. Anne there early today. One nun, nine children, ranging in age from 10 to 18 years, and four old women perished in the flames. Two nuns were so severely burned that it is feared they will die. In grief over the catastrophe the villagers find some comfort in relating the heroism displayed by Sister Marie Adjuteur, who gave up her life, and Sisters Marie Therese and Marie Robertine, who were perhaps fatally burned in their efforts to save the lives of the children and helpless old women in their charge.

CAR FARE IN CONSCIENCE FUND.

Kansas City Woman Said She Had Been Lying to Conductors and Sends $1.50 to Company.

Kansas City, Mo., April 21.—[Special.]—Conscience smitten because she rode on the street cars here without paying fare, a woman today sent $1.50 to the company, saying she had experienced a change of heart.

The letter which accompanied the money stated:

"In the past I have ridden on cars without paying fare, telling the conductor I had paid him once. I practiced this some time and thought there was no particular wrong in it. Since then my conscience annoyed me, and I want to try to do what I can to make the matter right."

BRIDE OF FIVE DAYS ENDS LIFE.

Takes Poison When Papers Charging Her with Bigamy Are Served—Suit Also Results.

Johnstown, N. Y., April 21.—[Special.]—Mrs. George M. Lichtenstern, a bride of five days, married last Sunday in New York City, committed suicide today by taking poison. She ended her life after she had been served with papers alleging she was leading a bigamist life. The groom also was charged with alienating the affections of Mrs. Michael McCartin, the suicide, who for the last four years has been an employé of the New York office of Wertheimer & Co. McCartin has sued Lichtenstern for $10,000 damages.

SENDS MESSAGES OVER FENCE.

Telegraph Company's Lines Down in West and Dispatches Are Forwarded Via Barbed Wire.

Cheyenne, Wyo., April 21.—[Special.]—Telegraph messages between Cheyenne and Denver today and tonight were sent over the barbed wire fence route. The breaks in the lines caused by the storm of Wednesday are so numerous that it has been found impossible to string new wires, but communication was restored this morning by splicing the broken ends of the wires to a barbed wire fence along which messages are being transmitted for a distance of four miles.

MILLIONAIRE WEDS DANCER.

Samuel S. Reymer of Pittsburg, Heir to Immense Fortune, Marries Daughter of a Coal Miner.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 21.—[Special.]—Pittsburg's smart set received another surprise this afternoon, when the announcement was made of the marriage of Samuel S. Reymer, Fayette street, Allegheny, and Miss Nellie H. Paris, daughter of a coal miner at Oliver, Pa. The bride was a former dancer who traveled with carnival companies. The bridegroom is one of two heirs to the immense fortune left by the late Jacob Reymer

To Pray Today for Foreign Missions.

Today will be observed as a day of prayer for foreign missions at the Moody bible institute, morning, afternoon, and evening. The speakers will be Henry W. Frost of the China inland mission, Willis R. Hotchkiss of Africa, William R. Nowell, and Dr. James M. Gray.

CHICAGO VIEW OF GLASGOW'S POLICY

Ownership of Traction Lines Leads Inevitably to City Control of All Public Utilities.

(Continued from first page.)

instincts of stock jobbing private owners and unscrupulous political office brokers.

Politics does not influence municipal elections in British cities, especially in Scotland. The lord provost of Glasgow, Sir John Ure Primrose, is a figurehead, and, although he is the hardest worked man in the city, he has no salary, no patronage, no real power. When he accepted the office he had to give up his prosperous business as a baker and miller. He has fairly earned the baronetcy King Edward conferred upon him for his honest administration of the Glasgow traction lines.

Why System Has Succeeded.

Yet, after all, this condition is not so much due to the personal integrity of the lord provost, for, although he is a good man and properly honored by the king, probably he is not much better than many another lord mayor. The real reason why the traction lines have been honestly administered seems to be because the people here have not yet discovered the possibilities in the dishonest exploitation of municipal opportunities.

Transport the honesty of the Glasgow municipal system to Chicago, and municipal ownership of the traction lines would be the only thing; but when some of the obvious differences in local government are considered, every reader of THE TRIBUNE might find it worth Chicago's while to make haste slowly in the direction of the municipal ownership of anything.

CITY WILL DELAY APPEAL FROM TRANSFER DECISION.

If the Case Were Taken at Once to Supreme Court It Would Be Passed On Before Other Suit.

While the city will take an appeal from Judge Grosscup's decision in the recently decided transfer case, this action probably will not be taken immediately.

If the appeal were made at once this transfer case would get to the Supreme court in advance of the appeal in the "ninety-nine year case," in which the Union Traction company is interested. The Supreme court then would be asked to decide on the legality of the "ninety-nine year claims" of the Chicago City company, which are considered stronger than those of the Union Traction, before the rights of the latter corporation came before it at all.

The decree in the transfer case was not signed yesterday, because John P. Wilson, representing the Chicago City company, and Maj. Toiman could not agree on its terms. Mr. Wilson had drawn a decree calculated to make the record a complete one so far as a decision by the Supreme court on the "ninety-nine year claims" as well as the transfer question is concerned. Maj. Toiman objected to this, and wanted the record simply to show the objections of Judge Grosscup to the transfer ordinance on the ground that it attempted to abrogate a contract between the company and the state under which the former was to be allowed to charge 5 cents a passenger a ride. Judge Grosscup will pass upon the dispute today.

An arrangement whereby the sixty new cars ordered by the Union Traction company's receivers for use on the Consolidated lines can be paid for was made. The car company will receive $60,000 in cash, and to meet the remainder a certain amount is to be set aside from the receipts of the Union Traction company each day. So the Union Traction company will have to pay for the cars.

The mailing of a check for £61 12s by Mayor Dunne to bring James Dalrymple to Chicago has incited a number of municipal ownership enthusiasts to raise by subscription a sum large enough to take him back again. Already $45 has been sent to the mayor.

NO WORK, DRAW PAY, 8 FIRED.

Employes of Indian Warehouse at New York Dismissed by Secretary Hitchcock.

Washington, D. C., April 21.—Fred H. Wilson, acting superintendent, and seven clerks of the Indian warehouse in New York City today were dismissed from office by Secretary Hitchcock, as the result of investigation of charges of irregularities in the conduct of the office, including Wilson's accounts, in order to protect a number of employés who were not performing any service for the government. There were fourteen persons on the pay roll, while Inspector Nesler asserts that four or five were all that were necessary.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

GEN. WILMON W. BLACKMAR of Boston, commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, accompanied by Mrs. Blackmar, is in Atlanta, Ga., to attend the encampment of the Georgia division.

POULTNEY BIGELOW has been selected to represent Boston university at the international congress for the purpose of discussing the best means of exploiting the less civilized sections of the globe.

SENATOR SPOONER of Wisconsin and Joseph Pulitzer have sailed for Europe on the steamer Cedric.

ASK A RECEIVER FOR EQUITABLE.

Seven Chicago Policy Holders Bring Suit in United States Court.

WANT SURPLUS DIVIDED.

Also Allege Dishonest Conversion of Funds by Alexander, Hyde, and Others.

Seven Chicago policy holders have designs on "surplus assets" of the Equitable Life Assurance society of New York. They filed a bill yesterday in the United States Circuit court asking for the appointment of a receiver for the corporation, an accounting and a division of the profits.

As a result of this action James H. Hyde, vice president of the company, is likely to be seen in Chicago. He and President James W. Alexander are defendants.

The names of the plaintiff policy holders and the amounts of their policies are as follows:

John G. Sanditz	$2,000	Julius Neuman	5,000
Abraham Stron	3,000	Samuel Lyons	2,000
Julius Ettelson	3,150	Lina Lyons	1,000
Max Ettelson	1,375		

Allegations of the Bill.

The bill calls attention to the present "bitter, acrimonious, and expensive" controversy between Alexander, Hyde, and other officials, and charges them with fraudulently converting assets to their own use. It further alleges:

"The controversy over the management is likely to remain unsettled and to continue injurious, detrimental, and destructive to the business.

"It is likely to effect a dissolution of the company.

"There is a surplus amounting to many millions of dollars and assets greatly in excess of policies issued.

"One or more officers, under the unlawful and fraudulent guise of advertising, have charged to the corporation large amounts expended by them for their personal use and pleasure.

"They have appropriated to themselves salaries vastly in excess of the amounts to which they are entitled to for their services.

"For ten years the charter of the company and the laws of New York have been violated by reason of the company's failure to distribute its profits among policy holders.

"Sums restored to the company by officers are but an insignificant part of amounts withdrawn."

Provision of Illinois Law.

The provision of the Illinois statute under which the seven policy holders are praying relates to "dividends by mutual companies" and says:

"Mutual life insurance companies in this state, or those whose members are entitled to share in the surplus funds, may make a distribution of such surplus as they have accumulated annually, or in two, three, four, or five years. In determining the amount of the surplus to be distributed there shall be reserved an amount not less than the aggregate net value of all outstanding policies to be computed by the combined expense of the actuary rate of mortality, with interest not to exceed 4 per cent."

"Is that mandatory?" D. J. Schuyler Jr. was asked. He will appear as counsel for the complainants.

"That is a question," was the reply, "that we propose to find out. The Equitable has considerable money in Chicago."

Levy Mayer, Counsel, Answers.

Levy Mayer, counsel for the Equitable in Chicago, held a protracted conversation with members of the legal department of the New York office during the evening. When he was asked to state the stand adopted by the society toward the suit he replied:

"As counsel for all the defendants—the Equitable Life Assurance society, James W. Alexander, its president, and James H. Hyde, its vice president—in the suit begun by John G. Sanditz and others in the United States court today, I desire to say that we are ready for an immediate hearing. The plaintiffs are policy holders. The total amount of their policies is less than $18,000. The total policies of the Equitable Life outstanding are over $2,000,000,000. None of these facts is disputed by the bill. In fact, they are all admitted to be true. Yet that great institution is attacked and a receiver for it is prayed.

"This is an illustration of how the freedom of the courts can be made an avenue for a wanton, reckless, and inexcusable attack. Almost an hour's income of the company would be more than adequate to pay the plaintiffs' policies if they had matured. None of the policies sued on is more than ten years old, and nearly all were issued but a few years ago.

"The policies may therefore not mature for many years, and the plaintiffs may easily make default and readily forfeit the same before their maturity.

"What can one say in comment upon the facts more emphatic than the facts themselves? It unfortunately has become the fashion during the last few weeks to rush into court with baseless charges against this great company. It would be a travesty upon humor were the subject matter of the bill other than one which affects directly and indirectly more than 2,000,000 of people."

CHICAGO'S AGENTS OF TRADE REACH MISSOULA, MONTANA.

Commercial Association's Delegation Is Moving Gradually Westward Toward the Pacific Coast.

Missoula, Mont., April 21.—After a day of sightseeing in Helena on Thursday the Chicago Commercial association's delegation touring the west came on to Missoula. The party was met by officials of the chamber of commerce, Mayor Smith, and a committee of business men, who escorted the visitors about the city, to the state university, and to the lumber mills. A canvass of the business houses followed.

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TO FORCE ACTION ON GAS MEASURE.

Speaker Tells Illinois House It Cannot Ignore Chicago's Wishes.

BILL IS GIVEN NEW LIFE.

Shurtleff Promises to Prevent Adjournment Until It Has Been Considered.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., April 21.—[Special.]—"This house will stay here until January 1f necessary to give the proper consideration to the measures which Chicago wants. I do not believe in legislation without consideration, but the gas bills, having once been considered throughly by a committee, shall get due consideration from this house."

With the above declaration to the house this afternoon, Speaker Shurtleff resurrected Chicago's gas measures. He put new life into the bills for municipal ownership of gas and electric light plants and for the control of rates and put a stop to the movement for an adjournment next Friday.

Much thirty members of the house listening to him—the others having deserted the hall to catch their trains for home or having departed last night—he handed a rebuke to the "quickers" and declared that the people of the state had a right to complain.

"The people of the state," he asserted vigorously, "have a right to object to the manner in which business is transacted by the legislature. They have a right to complain of the manner in which the business of the state is conducted. It is possible that the leader is to blame for this state of things, but I will state that there will be no adjournment until the measures before this body have had due consideration."

Early Action on Charter Bill.

Following this statement from Shurtleff came another from Pendarvis, chairman of the house charter committee, that the charter bill for municipal ownership of gas and electric light plants and for the control of gas and electric rates would be acted on at a meeting of the charter committee on Tuesday.

These announcements, made to the house this afternoon at the close of its longest session, cleared the atmosphere, prevented an outbreak on the part of the friends of gas legislation, and put an end to all talk of adjournment next week.

With regard to adjournment, it had not been all talk. The members who sent the original gas bills back to the municipal corporations committee last week had framed up the scheme for adjournment on next Friday. This plan was nipped by Shurtleff's statement.

The speaker has resented the criticism which his part in the action of Wednesday, practically killing the original gas bills, had brought on him. He resented it because he considered that his own motive had been to bring about orderly consideration of the measures and prevent what he considered hasty legislation and to save the bills from defeat.

For this reason he did not propose to hold the bag for the enemies of gas legislation by agreeing to hasty adjournment. His declaration was provoked by McGoorty near the close of the session this afternoon. Since early this morning the house had been endeavoring to clean up its calendar, and all during the session McGoorty had been working to get a meeting of the charter committee to report out the new gas bills which had been sent to it on Wednesday. He had finally as a last resort asked permission to introduce a bill.

All Escape but Thirty.

Representatives had been escaping from the hall for an hour to catch their trains and there were not more than thirty present when McGoorty brought the matter to a climax again by this request, but these thirty were on tiptoe the moment he started it.

"I'll be perfectly frank," the democratic member from Cook announced. "This bill, to introduce which I ask unanimous consent, practically is the same as that introduced by Mr. Church and by myself last Wednesday and which have been sent to the charter committee. We have been endeavoring to arrange a meeting of this committee for today, but certain members press to announce their intention of raising the question of a quorum if we do hold the meeting and thus make it impossible to take action. There are rumors that this legislation will be adjourned on next Friday. If this should be the case it will be impossible to secure any action on these bills unless they be advanced this morning."

When McGoorty finished speaking Shurtleff got to his feet. The speaker ordinarily presents an undisturbed and unemotional face to the representatives, but it was evident from his looks, as well as his words, that he had some personal feelings in this matter. His face was white and his voice broke on him occasionally as he proceeded with his statement.

"The chair will state at this time," he said, "that it takes the responsibility for the statement that the house will be kept in session to pass any and all measures Chicago may want, and that any bill reported out of committee on next Tuesday will receive consideration. There is no understanding, so far as the chair is aware, on the matter of adjournment. The chair will state that the house physically is unable to perform the work of this session and adjourn on April 28.

Chicago Must Not Be Ignored.

"The chair will say further that the house shall not be adjourned to the particular end of cutting off Chicago from any legislation that it may want and need."

Shurtleff stopped speaking for a moment and Church got to his feet with an explanation.

"The meeting of the Chicago charter committee has been agreed on to be held immediately after adjournment," he said, "The question has been raised whether or not we shall have a quorum, but I think we shall have."

"My purpose in getting up," explained McGoorty, "was to avoid further delay only. The statement has been made on the democratic side of the house that a point of quorum would be made at this committee meeting."

"There is no disposition on the part of the chair," declared Shurtleff, "to adjourn this house until all matters are given the consideration that the house wants to give them. The chair will state further that so far as measures before this house are concerned the chair is here to work all day today, all day tomorrow, and continuously until this legislature has done its work.

"There is a charge that this legislature had done nothing since it convened four months ago. The chair is here to put in all the time that legislation requires and believes that the duty of the members is the same. The chair does not believe that the membrs were elected to come here on Tuesday and return home Thursday."

Says Complaint Is Justified.

Here Shurtleff gave it as his opinion that the people of the state had a right to complain, ending with the declaration that the house would remain in session until January if necessary to act on measures before it. The thirty members present, republicans and democrats alike, applauded him.

"What is the pleasure of the house?" he asked, referring back to the request which McGoorty had made for unanimous consent to introduce the gas bill again.

McGoorty hesitated, and Pendarvis made his statement that a meeting of the charter committee would be held on Tuesday morning.

"I will withdraw my request," said McGoorty.

Shurtleff did not hear him, and asked again what the house wished done.

"Withdraw it," shouted several members to McGoorty, and he did so again, closing the incident. The house immediately adjourned until Monday evening.

Before McGoorty's request to introduce the bill called forth this statement from Shurtleff those had been constant skirmishing between the friends and enemies of gas legislation to get a meeting of the charter committee called for this afternoon.

When the efforts of the friends of the proposed legislation had about succeeded Representative Gray, democrat, of Decatur, spoiled all plans by coming out into the open with the statement that he was opposed to all gas legislation, whether limited to Chicago or not, and that he would break up the committee meeting by calling attention to the fact that it did not have a quorum.

Decatur Man Fears Precedent.

"To legislate for Chicago will set a bad precedent," he said, "and I am against it. I'll call a quorum if you attempt to have a committee meeting."

In the face of this declaration of war it was useless to proceed with the attempt to have the bill reported out by the charter committee at that time. McGoorty took the new tack of bringing the question directly to the attention of the house.

The bill which is to be considered and which will reach the floor of the house probably on Tuesday is a new charter bill in the shape of a new article to the cities and villages act, granting the city the right to own and operate gas and electric light plants and to control gas and electric light rights. This is the form in which friends of gas legislation believe the measure will have to be drawn to avoid unconstitutionality. It will require a referendum vote by the people after it has been passed by the legislature.

While Shurtleff's declaration insures the bill fair treatment in the house and even indicates that it may be passed, it does not indicate anything with regard to the senate and there are pitfalls by the score before the bill. The bills before the municipal corporations committee are dead and will not be heard from again, the action of Wednesday having settled for them.

Gov. Deneen is credited with having had considerable to do with the reviving of the gas legislation project, inasmuch as he had been confident that Chicago would get its gas legislation at this session.

Shurtleff Explains His Course.

Shurtleff added a statement tonight to what he has said in the house:

"There seems to be an impression," he said, "that the gas bills have been choked to death; that they were sent back to the committee on municipal corporations for that purpose. Perhaps that may be true, but I do not believe that the real situation in the house on Wednesday was understood. So far as I am able to determine there is no demand outside of Chicago for this legislation. Yet these bills sought to put on every city and town in the state conditions for which there is no demand except in Chicago. I had two courses open in the house on Wednesday. I could have sent the bills to a vote, where they would have been defeated, or I could send them back to the committee, which possibly meant choking to death. The first course was unsatisfactory. The latter left open the road to the real solution, putting the gas question in the hands of the Chicago charter committee, where it belongs."

FINDS OUTSIDERS DID NOT BLOW UP ZEIGLER MINE.

Board Investigates Recent Disaster at Leiter Property and Believes Explosion Result of Natural Causes.

Springfield, Ill., April 21.—[Special.]—No bodies of men not on the company pay rolls were found to have been in the Leiter mine at Zeigler prior to or at the time of the explosion, according to the report submitted today to Gov. Deneen by the state mining board, which was sent to the scene of the recent disaster to ascertain the particulars.

The story that outsiders had gained entrance to the shaft and brought about the explosion was circulated several days ago and was one of the principal matters under investigation by the state officials.

Although Gov. Deneen has decided not to make public the entire report submitted to him until he has secured the opinion of an expert who has been sent to make further investigation, this much is given out because of the seriousness of the story in circulation. The expert is expected to report his finding next Monday. The governor went to Chicago this afternoon and nothing more will be done in the matter before Monday.

Members of the board are reticent and refused to discuss the disaster at length. They intimated, however, that their investigation, which has extended over two weeks, will show that the explosion was not caused by outsiders, but was the result of natural causes.

Another report that gained circulation from Zeigler was that the rope on the cage was cut. This is also denied. Other rumors that have emanated from the scene of disaster and which have no direct bearing on the case will be disregarded, as they are stated to be without foundation.

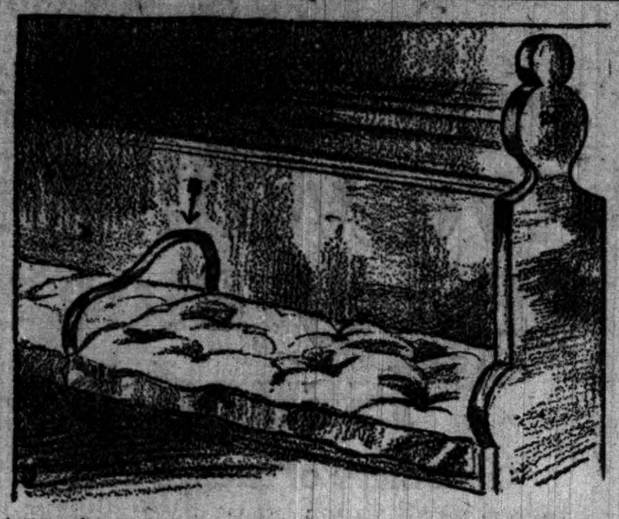
Employes Leave Zeigler.

Duquoin, Ill., April 21.—[Special.]—Seven superintendents of the various departments in the Zeigler mine have resigned, one of whom is Gen. Supt. Hurd. They give as the cause of leaving the conditions and environments existing in Zeigler. Mine employés, foreign laborers, and their families, numbering in all about thirty-two, left the place today. A number of officials have made arrangements to desert Zeigler tomorrow.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Pink Eye Is Epidemic.
MURINE EYE REMEDY Cures It.

Philadelphia Society Guessing at Cause of a New Brass Rail in a Church Pew.



Arrow points to the bright brass rail that now separates the Rowlands from the Bokers in St. James' Church, Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 21.—[Special.]—Lenten worshipers at St. James' Protestant Episcopal church are greatly interested in a brass rail that has just made its appearance in the church, and which divides a pew that is shared by the families of two social leaders. Mrs. George Boker, a wealthy widow, holds possession of the pew upon one side of the brass rail, while Mrs. Henry T. Rowland finds herself in undisputed possession of the remainder of the pew. While the appearance of the brass rail is something of a mystery and has already caused considerable gossip among the members of the church, it has not yet led to a social rupture between the two women whom it divides. Mrs. Boker has left for Europe without telling what she knows about the rail, and Mrs. Rowland declares that while she doesn't know where the rail grew, she regards the whole affair as "pure foolishness," and is still, so far as she knows, upon the old terms of friendliness with Mrs. Boker, with whom she has had a lifelong acquaintance.

The janitor declares that the rail was erected by Mrs. Boker so that she might be protected from any encroachment upon her half of the church sitting. Mrs. Rowland says she has never been in the pew and can't imagine how her friend could have been crowded in any way. The episode began with Mrs. Rowland's decision that the pew which she owns in the church is too far back for comfort. She decided to rent one-half of pew No. 20. Mrs. Boker was renting the other half, the pew being owned by the church. For one or two Sundays Mrs. Boker occupied her half of the pew, while John C. Rowland Jr. and Miss Elizabeth Rowland, the son and daughter of Mrs. Rowland, occupied the other half. One Sunday the Rowlands brought a friend to church with them, and the next Sunday the brass rail appeared.

TO TELL CHICAGO NEEDS.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE WILL VISIT STATE LEGISLATURE.

Intention Is to Urge Prompt Action on Measures to Give City Right to Manufacture, Sell, and Regulate the Price of Gas, to Provide for a New Charter, and to Authorise a Liberal Appropriation for Small Parks on the West Side.

A pilgrimage will be made to Springfield on Monday by the council committee on state legislation, a special committee of twenty-five to be named by the mayor, and as many volunteers as may want to go. Chairman Badenoch of the council committee has called a meeting of that body for Monday afternoon. At this gathering the committee's program will be laid out. Mayor Dunne will confer with some of the members of this committee today and select his committee of twenty-five regardless of politics. The original committee of 100, formed to advocate Mayor Dunne's election, has also called a meeting for this afternoon with the idea of sending to Springfield a delegation with no limit as to numbers.

The city's right to regulate the price of gas and make and sell gas, the passage of the consolidated parks bill, and the advancement of plans for a new charter for Chicago are the main matters this delegation is expected to call to the attention of the legislators. A charter convention is advocated by Mayor Dunne.

Mayor Wants Municipmal Gas.

Speaking of his own preferences yesterday the mayor said:

"First, I am anxious a bill shall pass giving the city the right to regulate the price of gas. I would also like to see a bill authorizing municipal ownership in gas, electric lighting, and telephones. I think we ought to insist on the passage of some measures of this character by the present legislature. As I understand it, there is pending an amendment to the cities and villages act, recommended by the city council, which would give the city the power sought. The new charter recommended by the council would do the same thing.

"I am also anxious for the park consolidation bill's passage. It seems to me this is a necessary measure as bearing on the question of taxation and the city's revenues.

"As to a new charter, I would favor a charter convention. It is a slower but to my mind a surer way of attaining the object sought. If a convention composed of representatives of all parts and all interests of the city were to decide on a proper form of new charter I think there would not be the least hesitancy on the part of the legislature in passing it. Until that is done I am afraid all attempts to get a new charter through the legislature will fail. The objection to it is it will take two years, but perhaps Chicago had better wait two years if by doing so it is sure of getting just what it wants."

Want Small Park Bills Passed.

The small park commission at its meeting yesterday decided to send a delegation to Springfield to urge the passage of a bill for the issuance of $1,000,000 bonds for the west side small parks. The bills drafted by the west park commissioners were approved and it was decided to work in conjunction with that body. Ald. Beilfuss and Livingston Fargo were appointed by the commission to go to Springfield Monday night. Secretary A. W. O'Neill will also leave for Springfield Monday night and may remain there until the passage of the two bills is assured.

One bill provides for the issuance of the $1,000,000 worth of bonds for the acquisition and improvement of small parks and playgrounds on the west side and for a sufficient tax to liquidate the bond issue and the interest on the money within twenty years. The second bill adds one mill to the taxes for the improvement of the small parks and the payment of the bond issue. Gov. Deneen has given his assurance that he will exert his influence to advance the measures as rapidly as possible.

Ald. Dever, Ald. Beilfuss, Ald. Bradley, Dr. Graham Taylor, and Dwight H. Perkins will probably accompany the special committee to Springfield to speak for the two bills. A committee from the west park board, consisting of President Bangs and Attorney Delavan B. Cole, will be members of the party.

LAW CURBS BANK OFFICERS.

New York Measure Makes It a Misdemeanor for Officers to Secure Loans on Commission.

Albany, N. Y., April 21.—Gov. Higgins today signed a bill growing out of the German bank case at Buffalo making it a misdemeanor for any officer, director, agent, or employé of any bank or trust company to ask or receive any commission, emolument, gratuity, or reward, or anything of value or of personal advantage for procuring or endeavoring to procure for any person, firm, or corporation any loan or discount by any such bank or trust company, or for permitting any person, firm, or corporation to overdraw his account.

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JUSTICE SYSTEM GETS ITS FINISH.

Assembly Passes Chicago Municipal Court Bill with a Rush.

END OF CONSTABLES ALSO.

Law Will Not Get Into Operation, However, Until in December, 1907.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., April 21.—[Special.]—Chicago's municipal courts bill, providing an escape from the justice of the peace system with its constables and a substitute for the police courts, came out of both branches of the legislature today and awaits the governor's signature—the first Chicago charter bill to be put through the general assembly.

Next November it will go before the people for their sanction. Another year will go by before there will be further action taken if it be successful in the referendum. In November, 1907, the election of twenty-eight judges will be held, and in December, 1907, the courts will be opened and the justices of the peace, constables, and police magistrates shelved.

Nearly two years will elapse before the work which the legislature did this morning will be in effect, and by that time the terms of the present justices will have expired. Parenthetically, there probably will be a test of the law in the Supreme court before that time.

The legislature acted immediately after both houses had received the report of the conference committee of the house and senate. There were several hitches before the conference could agree on amendments, and several representatives ceased opposition only because they found it useless if not dangerous to persist.

Opponents of the bill in its present form wanted a simple substitute for the justice court system without any attempt at creating a court of record. They ceased to oppose the bill only when they were told that to oppose it meant a counter attempt to pass the original common pleas bill, which was still more distasteful to them.

Adoption at Once Follows Reports.

As soon as the committee had reached an agreement the reports went to the house and senate, and both were adopted at once, six representatives, all down state members, voting against the bill in the house.

The court system created by this bill will divide the city into five districts. The twenty-seven associate judges, receiving a salary of $6,000 each, will be headed by a chief justice at a salary of $7,500. The jurisdiction of the courts will be limited to amounts not exceeding $1,000 and to criminal cases not involving penitentiary punishment.

An amendment adopted in the conference will enable the city courts to relieve the County court if necessary, and the Circuit and Criminal courts may assign cases to them whenever such work will not interfere with the disposal of regular city court cases. One amendment adopted at the conference provides:

That in trials by jury in the municipal courts the court shall charge the jury as to the law only, and the charges may, in the discretion of the court, be given orally or in writing, but when given orally shall be taken down in shorthand, and at the request of either party a transcript thereof shall be made and filed in the cause in which such charge is given, and shall be made a part of the record in such cause.

This amendment represented one cause of friction between the opposing camps.

Stultifies House Divorce Bill.

The senate took the life out of the house divorce bill by amending it to provide that the prohibition against remarriage of divorced persons shall not apply to the innocent party. It is asserted that the innocent party is generally the one who, having been successful in the suit, at once scurries to the marriage license window, but Senator Humphry was able to force the amendment through.

The house passed the juvenile bills desired by people in Chicago interested in child saving work. One provides for the punishment of persons responsible for the delinquency of children; another provides for the transfer of children from one home to another. A third will enable the detention of boys in homes until they are 17 years old and girls until they are 18 years old. A fourth will enable the courts to compel the parents of delinquent children to contribute to their support when able.

The house also passed a bill requiring the teaching of Illinois history in the public schools. The senate passed the bill authorizing the building of the naval militia boathouse on the lake front, no appropriation being carried.

The Galpin bill for publication of real and personal property assessments was passed. Senator Haas introduced four bills prepared by the west park board to meet the condition created by the recent Supreme court decision. Senator McShane introduced a bill to prevent the use of coloring matter in the manufacture of sausages.

Hard Roads Bill Introduced.

The hard roads bill was introduced in the house by Representative Magill, the committee and the governor having worked over it until late last night. It provides for a commission to experiment with the practicability of hard roads building in various parts of the state, but does not ask the legislature to provide a system of hard roads. Another bill is to be offered, providing an appropriation for a tile plant and for a stone crusher, the latter to be installed at Chester. There was a proposition to transport the convicts from one district to another and use them in the manufacture of tile for road building, but this has been dropped.

Representative Frank D. Comerford took his seat this morning, having been sworn in by Judge Creighton of the Circuit court, following a report made by the credentials committee. Representative Mitchell was the only committeeman refusing to sign the report recommending that Comerford be seated.

AMUSEMENTS.

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MATINEE TO-DAY AT 2. EVERYMAN
TONIGHT AT 8:15 THE COMEDY OF ERRORS
MONDAY EVE. FOR TWO WEEKS ONLY
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By request, Chopin's Funeral March.

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ONLY MUSICAL SHOW IN TOWN.
LILLIAN RUSSELL IN LADY TEAZLE.
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GRAND OPERA HOUSE MATINEE TODAY, 2:15.
MRS. FISKE
And the MANHATTAN COMPANY in
LEAH KLESCHNA.
Extra Mats. Wed., April 26 and May 3.

To Show Good Faith.

Owing to the recent general clamor made against medicines containing large quantities of alcohol, Doctor Pierce has decided to prove to the public that his "Favorite Prescription" for the diseases and weaknesses of women is not a patent medicine in the full acceptance of that term. Hereafter the ingredients of his "Favorite Prescription" will be printed on the wrapper of every bottle that leaves the laboratory.

YOU CAN TRUST

A medicine that has been deservedly popular for over a third of a century—that has cured thousands of women of those diseases peculiar to the sex—and in which the manufacturer has sufficient confidence in the sterling merit of the medicine to give to the public a full knowledge of its ingredients.

EVERY WOMAN

Who takes this "Favorite Prescription" of Dr. Pierce, will know just what she is taking.

This medicine contains the non-alcoholic extracts of the following native plants:

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During an extended practice, in which Dr. Pierce made the diseases of women a specialty, he found that a rare combination of American medicinal plants would almost invariably cure all the debilitating wastes and drains, all the aches and pains incident to womanhood. Consequently he put up this favorite remedy in a form that could be easily procured at every drug store.

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4—Avon Comedy Four—4. Emerson & Omega.
Reese Brothers. Armstrong & Vern.
Antonio & Annie Parri. Chris Lane.
Lulu Theis. Marshall & Jones.
The Remingtons. The Kinodrome.
Prices—15—25—35—50c. Reserved, 75c.

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CONTINUOUS VAUDEVILLE.
4—The Four Morions—4. Caron & Herbert.
Kathryn Osterman & Co. Hoey & Lee.
Billy Van. Mr. & Mrs. Allison.
Hal Merritt. Bailey & Lake.
Drake's Sheep. Zara & Zara.
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LOWER GAS RATES FOR NEW YORK?

Legislative Committee's Report Expected to Favor Cut of 10 to 25 Cents.

DOUBT ON ELECTRICITY.

Arrivals of Immigrants at Metropolis Break Records for One Day.

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE, New York, April 21.

Report May Result in Lower Gas Rates.

After three weeks of public hearings the legislative committee appointed to investigate the price of gas and electricity in New York City completed today the taking of testimony and will devote the coming week to the preparation of its report. This report will be submitted to the legislature next Friday.

While none of the investigators will indicate definitely his views there is reason for believing they will recommend a reduction of 10 to 25 cents a thousand cubic feet in the price of gas and greater reduction in the charges for electricity. If the price of gas is reduced no lower than 90 cents the Consolidated company probably will accept it, but any lesser price will be resisted in the courts.

The extremely complicated schedule of prices charged for electricity made a decidedly unfavorable impression on the committee.

Sterling Stuart, son of Ruth McEnery Stuart, the author, who was injured by a fall while trying to enter the second story window of his mother's home in Flushing a month ago, died today. He had been removed from a hospital yesterday to receive treatment after the hospital physicians had abandoned hope.

April Immigrant Record Broken by 20,000 So Far.

Four transatlantic steamers which arrived at this port today brought 9,675 steerage passengers, the largest number ever passed in quarantine in one day. It was impossible to handle the throng in one day, and 4,000 had to remain over night aboard the ships on which they arrived.

Until last night 62,791 immigrants had been landed this month, compared with 42,447 to the same date in April last year. The figures indicate that in May, always the banner month, the Ellis Island record is likely to be outdone.

As a result of the visit of Police Commissioner McAdoo to the "Tenderloin" yesterday the police raided several resorts and made numerous arrests. Many of the more notorious places were not invaded, as they had closed up.

Women and Firemen Injured in Tenement Fire.

Three firemen were injured, six women were severely burned, seventy families were made homeless, and property valued at $150,000 burned in the heart of Hebrew center in Brooklyn today. The fire started in the basement of B. Glass & Co.'s furniture store and leaped across the street to a long row of tenement houses. These burned like tinder, and the occupants escaped with great difficulty. Six women were dangerously burned, making their way from the blazing homes, and three firemen were caught under falling walls. From these buildings the flames swept around a corner to several similar structures, which were practically destroyed.

Legislative Lighting Committee Finishes Work.

The legislative lighting committee was adjourned tonight subject to the call of the chairman. The committee today heard Prof. Charles F. Chandler of Columbia university, who was called as a witness for the Consolidated Gas company to present views in opposition to those of Prof. Hallock, also of Columbia university, who declared several days ago that tests made by him showed a deficiency in candle power in the gas supplied to local consumers.

Prof. Chandler declared that the photometer used by Prof. Hallock was obsolete and generally regarded as unreliable. He did not believe it possible to regluate the pressure of gas by any legislative act.

Shoplifters Have $30,000 in Bank.

Three members of a gang of shoplifters who came here two months ago from Chicago were sentenced today to eleven months' imprisonment each and a fine of $500 which, if not paid, will entail a further term in the penitentiary of one day for each dollar. The prisoners were Isaac Abramovitch, Sophie Steinberg, and Dora Glener. The last named is known as "Queen Rachel." Bank books showing deposits of $30,000 were found on the prisoners, when they were arrested. The police also found at that time thousands of dollars' worth of the finest silks and serge and velvets, and most delicate laces, in their flat on the east side. In addition there were several suits for women and quantities of silk underwear and jewelry.

Empress Honors American Women for Bravery.

Consul General Buenz of Germany today received from the German empress, Augusta Victoria, fifty-one diplomas to be presented to the women at the city hospital on North Brother island, who assisted in the work of rescuing and caring for those who were saved from the steamer Gen. Slocum, which burned last June, with a loss of more than 1,000 lives.

The diplomas recite briefly the story of the disaster and convey the congratulations and gratitude of the empress. For one of the young women who rendered conspicuous service the empress has sent a gold brooch set with pearls.

Castle William Has More Prisoners than Soldiers.

A curious state of affairs exists in the army post on Governor's island. The number of prisoners confined in Castle William exceeds by more than 100 the number of men garrisoned on the island. The military prisoners from all the posts of the department of the east are confined in Castle William, and lately the prison of the department of the lakes in Chicago became so crowded that many western prisoners have been sent here.

Castle William today held 332 prisoners, 112 more than the number of men garrisoned on the island.

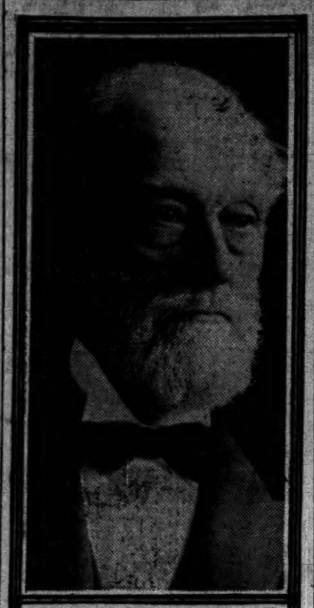
Sunday School Money for Peanuts; Police Will Act.

In order that Sunday school children may be prevented from wasting their Sunday school money on peanuts in Bayonne, N. J., the police next Sunday, and every Sunday thereafter, will prevent peanut venders from piying their trade in the streets. The Men's Christian union complained to the police that the children had a habit of purchasing peanuts with the money their parents gave them to put in the collection. Discarded peanut shells, found beneath chairs occupied by the children, furnished the clew.

Will Quarantine All Meningitis Cases in City.

Health Commissioner Darlington stated today that he believes the communicability of meningitis has been sufficiently well established to warrant the placing of all cases in quarantine under the same rules as apply to scarlet fever, diphtheria, and other contagious diseases. The investigating commission met again today and continued its inquiry.

O. H. Platt Dead.



SENATOR ORVILLE H. PLATT.

Washington, Conn., April 21.—United States Senator Orville Hitchcock Platt of Connecticut died at his summer home here at 8:53 tonight from pneumonia. The end came almost unexpectedly, the immediate cause being the breaking of the abscess which had formed in the right lung and which produced strangulation. The senator was conscious to the end, and with him were Mrs. Platt and the senator's only son, Judge James P. Platt of the United States Circuit court.

Senator Orville H. Platt in his twenty-five years of service became one of the six or eight men in the United States senate who have acquired such influence as to be termed the "executive committee of the board of managers of the United States." His title by many was "guide, philosopher, and friend." He was no orator and no politician, but his statesmanship was the basis of his standing in the senate. He was McKinley's adviser and Roosevelt's also. The Platt amendment solved the Cuban problem. He presided at the Swayne impeachment trial.

Senator Platt was born in Washington, Conn., July 19, 1827. He had been, in Connecticut, clerk of the senate, secretary of state, senator, representative, and speaker. Became United States senator in 1879, and has served ever since. He was an expert fisherman and an inveterate reader of "yellow back" novels for relaxation.

LIGHT ON NAN PATTERSON CASE—FOR A CONSIDERATION.

Samuel Isenberg, Coatmaker, Who Says He Saw Cæsar Young Kill Himself, Is Ready to Talk for a Price.

Samuel Isenberg, a Russian Jewish coatmaker, who says that he saw Cæsar Young commit suicide while in a cab with Nan Patterson in New York last June, is willing to furnish reading matter and photographs to the Chicago public at space rates.

This is Isenberg's scale of prices as figured by himself and his employer:

Isenberg	$15
Interpreter	5
Isenberg's employer	Anything
Girl to pose for picture	(?)

The employer explained the schedule to inquirers. His own time he valued at whatever should be "thought right." His aid would be essential, however, to persuading Isenberg to talk.

An interpreter at $5 would be needed and a girl to pose with the witness and show how the shot was fired that killed Cæsar Young.

It was uncertain how much she would want, but Isenberg's services would be figured at $15. Fuller details, illustrated by arm and shoulder gestures, might come higher.

In the tailor shop at 147 State street, Mr. Isenberg was seen in the evening. He had had an hour off for luncheon, and at 1:30 p. m. had been gone five minutes. At 3 o'clock he had not returned. He was having his picture taken for the newspapers.

According to the elevator boy the photographer had slipped several dollar bills into his hand.

The "witness" is a tall, thin man, with a black mustache. Noticing the proprietor engaged in conversation, he sidled over to the door. "Bosh," he exclaimed in Yiddish; "I do not care for notoriety."

"But it is so important," the proprietor was given to understand.

"Yes, I know it is important. So many people are interested, eh? But the business—the Easter business. It has been all excitement here today. Most days we turn out fifty garments, but today only half a dozen. We will be working until 9 o'clock. But if it is important—if the life of a young girl is at stake, we can quit work, say, at 6 o'clock."

It was learned at the house of Benjamin Resen, 567 West Fourteenth street, where Isenberg is staying, that the tailor would return as usual at 7.

No attempt has been made by the New York police to secure Isenberg as a witness in the murder case. Miss Patterson's counsel telegraphed to a Chicago attorney to get the tailor's story in detail.

Body from River Identified.

The body found by the Halsted street police Wednesday was identified yesterday as that of Josef Tylicki, 395 Nobel street. The body was found in the river at the foot of Clay street. Tylicki was last seen alive two weeks ago when he left companions intending to go home. Late that evening William O'Mally, bridge tender at North avenue, says that when he opened the bridge to allow a steamer to pass he heard a cry but could discover nothing when the steamer had passed.

Today's the day to count your chickens if they're to be hatched before Easter.

Frock coats and waistcoats, $22 to $42.

Separate trousers.

Silk hats.

Spring furnishings.

Many other wearables you'll want on Easter Sunday.

F. M. ATWOOD
Hats and Furnishings of Rogers, Peet & Co. Clothing.
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SCORES HURT IN STORM.

PHILADELPHIA SWEPT BY FIFTY MILE AN HOUR WIND.

More than Five Hundred Buildings Are Damaged and Several Persons Are Buried Beneath the Wreckage—Child Clings to Parasol, Strikes a House, and Is Rendered Unconscious—Woman Is Dying from Injuries Received.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 21.—[Special.]—Scores of persons were injured, more than 500 houses unroofed, and property worth thousands of dollars was destroyed by a storm of cyclonic proportions which swept over this city this afternoon. The storm lasted less than half an hour, but in that time it wrought damage greater than that created by any storm that has visited Philadelphia in recent years.

The storm struck the city at 3 o'clock. Half an hour later it passed off, leaving in its wake a trail of ruin. The wind blew at the rate of fifty miles an hour and rain fell in a deluge. Traffic was tied up completely while the force of the elements was expended. It came with such suddenness that persons in the street were blown from their feet, landing twenty or thirty feet away against buildings. From all sections of the city come reports of houses unroofed by the fury of the wind. The police have been unable as yet to compile any estimate, but more than 500 damaged buildings have already been reported.

Buried Beneath Wreckage.

Mrs. Charles Long, who was buried beneath the wreckage of a fence at Thirteenth and Mount Vernon streets, was so badly injured that physicians have abandoned all hope of her recovery. Mrs. Long was walking along the street with her 2 year old baby in her arms. As she was caught beneath the falling fence she shoved the child from her. Several men extricated her from the wreckage. At the hospital it was found that her back was broken and she had sustained a fractured skull and several broken ribs.

A huckster was driving out Erie avenue with a wagon load of produce. Suddenly his wagon was caught in the vortex of the wind. The shafts were snapped short and the wagon whisked high in the air. The vehicle landed, wheels up, some distance away.

Child Blown High in Air.

The roof of Rogers' hall, a large building in West Philadelphia, was wrested from its fastenings. The huge tin roof was carried along over housetops like a big cloud, and was deposited several hundred yards away in the open street. A number of persons were almost caught beneath it.

A little girl was left standing in front of a department store while her mother went inside to shop. The child put up her umbrella when the rain began to fall. Suddenly the wind caught the umbrella and the girl soared in the air and was carried across the street. Her head struck against a building and she was rendered unconscious.

RECEIVER TAKES STAMP STORE.

Assumes Charge of Benedict & McFarlane Company Property in Bankruptcy Proceedings.

The possession of the Benedict and Macfarlane company, owners of the "blue" trading stamp, legally passed into the hands of a receiver yesterday afternoon with the filing of involuntary bankruptcy proceedings against the concern by the Peck and Hills Lumber company and the Salter Manufacturing company, which have claims of $2,658.

George G. Burriner, who was appointed receiver for the defunct concern, no sooner had taken charge of the store at 311-313 Wabash avenue than he was served with a writ of replevin for fifty-five dozen chairs, sworn out by the John A. Dunn company. The receiver refused to accept service of the writ, as the property was then in the possession of the federal court.

Joseph Basch, secretary of Siegel, Cooper & Co., assured that company's customers that despite the differences with the Benedict and Macfarlane company, trading stamps would be redeemed promptly. Mr. Basch declares the redemptions offered by the trading stamp company are unsatisfactory, and the statement is issued for the purpose of assuring customers that their interests will be protected.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 21.—The Blue Bond Trading Stamp company, with headquarters in this city, has closed its doors. Hundreds of women with books filled ready for redemption called at the company's store today only to find that it had been vacated. The company had been in business here for several months and had made a wide distribution of its stamps.

SEEKS POLICE; IS ARRESTED.

Carl Miller Makes and Breaks Two Appointments to Surrender, Then Is Caught.

After twice making and breaking appointments with the police to surrender himself, Carl Miller was arrested last evening. Miller, who is 30 years old, wrote a letter to Chief O'Neill on Monday in which he said he was wanted in New York City. The police made an investigation and found, it is said, he had obtained more than $200 on forged notes in July, 1904. The letter also mentioned Sangamon and Madison streets as the place for detectives to arrest him. Miller failed to appear at the place.

Yesterday he sent another letter, saying he was sorry he had failed to keep his appointment, but would be there in the afternoon. He again failed to appear and the police thought they were hoaxed.

Detective Sergeant Halpin thought Miller would visit a friend near the meeting place after he had given up the search for him in the afternoon. Later he went to the friend's and arrested Miller as he was leaving the house.

ARSON MOTIVE MAY BE SHOWN.

Court Rules That Evidence Along This Line Shall Be Admitted.

I. N. PERRY IS ON TRIAL.

State Will Try to Show Overinsurance of Hegewisch Locomotive Plant.

A victory in the Chicago Locomotive works arson case was won by the state yesterday when Judge McEwen ruled that any evidence is admissible which tends to show a motive that might have impelled Isaac N. Perry to attempt to burn his plant at Hegewisch, as charged

"The ruling of this court is the most encouraging feature of the trial thus far," said Assistant State's Attorney Lindley when adjournment had been taken for the day "Had it been otherwise the state would have been handicapped, for 'motive' evidence especially must be considered in this case, where a conviction depends upon circumstantial evidence. Under the ruling we can go on to show that Mr. Perry was actuated in his alleged attempt to burn the Chicago Car and Locomotive works by the fact that the plant was overinsured."

Following the decision of the court Ald. W. C. Hunt, who was on the stand Thursday when the objections to "motive" evidence were raised by Attorney Forrest, was recalled. He remained in the witness chair the rest of the afternoon.

Conversations with Perry.

"Two weeks before the plant was burned Mr. Perry secured from me a key to one of the shops, which he never returned," was a bit of testimony to which Mr. Forrest strenuously objected. "At one time," continued the witness, "Mr. Perry told me he believed that the one who had furnished most of the capital should be allowed to outline the business policy of the corporation."

Ald. Hunt's movements on the day of the fire were described by himself as follows:

He arrived at the plant about 6:30 p. m., accompanied by Charles T. Chartier, and met Watchman Frank J. Bock in the office. He conversed for some time with Bock, who later accompanied him to the erecting shop, and left him there. Later, about 7:30, Bock returned and told him about the fire burning in the display shop. He (Hunt) then went to the display shop, and saw smoke coming out of the windows. He opened one of the doors and the smoke and flames rushed out. He left the plant at 11:30.

"Whom did you meet first when you arrived at the plant the next day?" asked Mr. Lindley.

"I met Bock, and together we examined the premises. In the lumber shop we found a carbon brick and some burnt shavings. We gave the carbon to Lieut. Crane."

Late in the forenoon, Hunt said, he conversed with the defendant over the telephone. Mr. Perry, he said, remarked:

"I understand you've had a fire."

"Did he ask for any particulars?" questioned Mr. Lindley.

"Yes. He asked me if the power house had burned. I said 'no.' Then he remarked, 'That's peculiar.' Then I told him what buildings had burned. At 1:10 I boarded a train for Chicago, and called on Mr. Perry."

Raises Estimate of Loss.

Mr. Forrest here objected to the witness stating the substance of the conversation with Mr. Perry, but he was overruled. The witness continued;

"Mr. Perry asked me if I had made an estimate of the damage for the police and fire departments. I answered that I had. He asked if it was absolutely necessary, and I said it was. He asked me for my estimate, and I told him $28,000. 'That isn't high enough,' he said, 'it ought to be nearer $48,000.' Then he asked me to put my estimate on paper, in itemized figures, which I did.

"He took the slip of paper from me and changed the figures so as to make a total of about $35,000. Then it was raised to $39,500."

Ald. Hunt again will be placed on the stand this morning, and it is likely that both direct and cross examination will be concluded before adjournment at noon.

It was rumored during the morning that a witness residing in Hammond had refused to obey a subpœna to appear in court. It was reported that this witness had seen Perry on the train that left Hammond for Chicago at 5:06 p. m. on the day of the fire. Mr. Lindley refused to discuss the matter.

For the first time during the trial Mrs. Perry and her daughter, Ruth, were absent.

OBITUARY.

MAJ. WILLIAM W. ARMSTRONG, one of the best known residents of Cleveland, O., and prominent as a democrat, is dead, aged 72. Maj. Armstrong held a number of state and municipal offices during his life, and for a number of years was editor of the Cleveland Plain Dealer. He is said to have suggested the rooster as the emblem for the democratic party.

PAUL LESSAR, Russian minister to China, whose foot was recently amputated, is dead in Peking, China. He was councilor of the Russian embassy in London, and was appointed Russian minister to China July 12, 1901. He distinguished himself as the negotiator with the Chinese of the proposed amendments to the Russo-Chinese Manchurian treaty.

HENRY P. FORD, former mayor of Pittsburg, is dead at his home in that city. Mr. Ford had been in his usual health and there was no suggestion that the end was near.

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DEWEY PUTS NAVY'S CAUSE IN CHILDREN AND WEST.

Admiral Writes to the Junior Epworth League of Detroit Urging Boys and Girls to Pledge Themselves to Aid.

Detroit, Mich., April 21.—[Special.]—Admiral Dewey in a letter to the Junior Epworth league of Detroit has expressed the opinion that the training of citizens of the country to believe in the efficacy of a great navy as a sure protection against war should commence with children. The junior league tonight had a celebration known as "an evening with the American navy," and the platform upon which the exercises were held was arranged to resemble a section of a battleship, which was named "Admiral Dewey." The letter from the admiral is as follows:

It is to you, dear young friends, that the destiny of our country is soon to be intrusted. To you will come the duty of protecting our land and of making its defenses such that no other nation will care to trespass upon our rights. For this a strong navy is an absolute necessity. A good navy it is already; of its strengthening and enlargement I feel assured because our great west has taken it up and holds it dear. Every movement sanctioned and encouraged by the west is certain of success. Think about it, my dear boys and girls, and pledge yourselves to help it with all your might. Believe in the advice of one who has been a seaman for more than fifty years and who is your very sincere friend.

GEORGE DEWEY.

King Honors Mrs. Daniel Manning.

St. Louis, Mo., April 21.—According to a private cablegram received here today from Brussels, Belgium, the king of Belgium has conferred the rank of "chevalier de l'orde de Leopold" upon Mrs. Daniel Manning of New York, president of the board of lady managers of the Louisiana Purchase exposition, and a number of world's fair officials.

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WARNS NATION OF STATE SOCIALISM.

New York World Sees Menace in Crusade for Municipal Ownership.

WOULD CRUSH OUT MERIT.

Public Control of Utilities Declared to Mean Centralization of Power.

New York, April 21.—[Special.]—The New York World, one of the leading democratic papers of the country, prints the following sensational editorial this morning under the heading, "Triple State—Socialism Versus Democracy":

"There can be no doubt of the determination of William Jennings Bryan to destroy the democratic party and erect a party of state socialism on the ruins of the historic structure built by Jefferson. This much was established at the Iroquois club dinner in Chicago and by subsequent statements made by Mr. Bryan's political friends.

"In the Bryan scheme of things the democratic party must favor municipal ownership of telephone, lighting, and street railway systems; state ownership of all local railroads within each state, including presumably interurban electric lines, and national ownership of trunk lines and telegraphs. With this must logically come national ownership of long distance telephone lines; of all railroads which are not wholly within a single state; of American steamship lines on all navigable rivers, on the great lakes, and on the high seas; of the mines; of all oil refineries, and of all other public utilities the use of which is not confined to the territorial limits of the city or a single state.

"Mr. Bryan is promoting the most colossal scheme of centralization ever devised to smother the vital principles of the true republic. A constitutional monarchy, similar to that of Great Britain, would not involve such subversion of democratic institutions. All this propaganda of triple state socialism is ignorantly instituted in the name of Thomas Jefferson, the greatest of all opponents of centralization and paternalism. The British troops never wrought such devastation to Jefferson's plantation as the Bryanites are trying to bring upon his political principles.

"Jurisdiction sometimes can be found for municipal ownership of certain public utilities. Cities generally have taken out of the hands of private corporations the business of supplying water. Many cities have engaged in public lighting as a choice of evils. Where an offensive and defensive alliance between Tammany politicians and the outlaw gas trust oppresses the people, there is much ground to be said in favor of the city's tearing up the expired franchises and distributing gas as it distributes water.

"But as an established fundamental policy municipal ownership of all local utilities inevitably would mean state control. Cities are creatures of the state and are subject to such rules and regulations as the state may choose to make. State control of these utilities plus state ownership of steam and electric railways and interurban railroad lines would mean the creation of a political machine that probably never could be overthrown.

"The railroads of the United States employ more than 1,300,000 persons. In all nearly 3,000,000 persons must be in the employ of the various public service corporations of the country—2,000,000 more prospective officeholders in the Bryan scheme of democracy.

"Everybody knows the power wielded in many cities by the letter carriers and the politics by the police and firemen. Everybody knows the power of more than 900,000 pensioners in federal elections. Add to the public servants now on the pay roll all employes of street railways, interurban railways, gas companies, electric light companies, telephone companies, and steam railroads, and the business of government would be completely in the hands of officeholders. With the employés combined for continually higher wages, shorter hours, and greater privileges, the state government in the end would remain in the control of the political machine that made the most liberal concessions to these employés. Indeed, the employés themselves would be the machine and administer the government for their personal profit.

"Add national socialism to municipal and state socialism, and the Mexicanization of the United States would be an accomplished fact. With the federal officeholders in control of trunk lines, the telegraphs, steamships, and mines, they would have practically all the industries of the country at their mercy. The producer and the shipper would be in the power of the officeholder.

"The national political machine would have a community of interest with the state machines, and all of them would be welded into a harmonious whole. To complete the system only government savings banks, which Mr. Bryan also favors, would be needed. Then organized politics could control the savings as well as the transportation and industries of the people. The scheme of a government of the officeholders, by the officeholders, and for the officeholders, would be complete.

"By means of his influence over the officeholders and the industries of Mexico Diaz has kept himself in the presidency for life. The elections have been little more than a sham, a form, a meaningless ceremony. By his control of the military and the officeholders of a centralized republic Napoleon III. was able to make himself emperor of the French despite the radical, revolutionary, republican instincts and traditions of the French people. Once established in the presidency his control of the huge and intricate machinery of a centralized government made the achievement of empire easy, regardless of the cheapness of his methods, the scandal of his personal history, and the insincerity of his pretensions.

"All that Diaz accomplished in Mexico and Louis Napoleon in France Mr. Bryan would make possible in the United States by constructing a government dominated by officeholders concerned chiefly in perpetuating their jobs. And this triple state socialism is advocated in the name of democratic principles, to which it is opposed in the spirit and in everything which has made the republic a republic in fact as well as in name.

"If Mr. Bryan's plans could possibly be carried out, which we refuse to believe, Vollmer's definition of government would be nationalized in the United States, two- thirds of the people would be paying all they could to support the other third to maintain an aristocracy of officeholders, if you please, responsible only to themselves.

"As between the republican party and the triple state socialism of William Jennings Bryan, the American people, under protest will take the republican party, extravagance, high tariff, big stick, Theodore Roosevelt, and all."

ADJACENT SCHOOLS MEANS WAR

Trustee Hayes Protests Against Locating a Building Close to a Parochial One.

School Trustee John J. Hayes yesterday protested against the locating of a public school adjacent to a parochial school on the ground that the boys of the two institutions would quarrel.

At the session of the buildings and grounds committee the question of a site for the new Hilton school was considered, and it was suggested that it be at Park and Forty-third avenues.

"In considering this site have you not thought of the chances you are taking?" said Mr. Hayes. "With the two schools side by side do you expect to keep the boys from fight? Do you want war? If not, then change the site."

State Denies Widow's Claim.

Springfield, Ill., April 21.—[Special.]—The claim of Jennie Ratto of Chicago for $5,000 damages for the death of her husband, Gasper Ratto, was denied today by the State Court of Claims. Ratto was formerly game warden in Chicago and while unpacking quail his hand was infured and blood poison resulted. The injury proved fatal.

Chicago Women Form New Club.

Mrs. F. K. Bowes.

A women's club came into life in Chicago yesterday with Mrs. Frederick K. Bowes, 541 West Adams street, as its president. The members call themselves the "Tuesday Travel Tourists." With Miss Agnes Ingersol as their courier, the 300 members of the new club will travel to the remotest ends of the earth, visit every point of interest from art gallery to royal court, without once leaving Chicago. Several years will be devoted to the travels which will be made with the aid of a stereopticon.

The president, Mrs. Bowes, was founder and a former president of the Chicago Culture club, was on the women's jury of awards at both the Chicago world's fair and the St. Louis exposition, is a prominent D. A. R., and a member of a number of other clubs.

The other officers of the club are: First vice president, Mrs. C. Todd Hood; second vice president, Mrs. Luther P. Freistadt; recording secretary, Mrs. William K. Sullivan; corresponding secretary, Miss Jennie Coulter; treasurer, Mrs. H. P. Bouffleur.

BOY BURGLARS ARE BETRAYED BY STOLEN BASEBALL MITTS.

Curious Collection of Articles Which They Had Taken from Two Stores Is Recovered.

Two urchins wearing new baseball mitts and playing with a new "league" ball, lead to the arrest of eight youthful burglars and the recovery of nearly $200 worth of plunder which had been stolen from the "L" bazaar at 1812 North Clark street and E. C. Christopher's bicycle store at 1049 Sheffield avenue.

The boys who were arrested are: Morris and George Halstrom, 1052 Osgood street; Peter Williamson, Sheffield avenue, and School street; Elmer Wilson, 2111 South Halsted street; Burt and Ralph Rodd, 1012 Seminary avenue; Robert Stromberg, 1087 Sheffield avenue, and Arthur Peterson, 1087 Seminary avenue.

Detectives Zabell and Gallagher of the Forty-second district found the urchins playing ball and noticed the unusual size and quality of the gloves. Questions brought out the fact that the gloves were loaned to them by the Halstrom boys and Burt Rodd. These three boys were found in an alley nearby, and from them the detectives secured a confession of burglaries committed by the gang. Several new pocket knives were also found on the boys. Elmer Wilson was arrested at Bishop's fur store, State and Monroe streets, where he was employed as an errand boy.

The young thieves broke open the front door of Christopher's store Sunday evening, April 9, and carried away everything of value they could find. Two weeks later they robbed the "L" bazaar.

The father of Arthur Peterson is prostrated over the arrest of his son, who was employed by the Western Electric company. Peter Williamson was an errand boy at the Sterling art gallery, 1726 North Clark street. The others were schoolboys.

Following is a list of the articles recovered by the detectives:

Stolen from the "L" bazaar—Twenty baseballs, valued at $1 apiece; forty pocket knives, valued at 75 cents each; twenty razors, worth $1 and $2 each; one baseball mask, $1; twelve baseball gloves, $2 to $4 each; chisels, screwdrivers, padlocks, and miscellaneous small articles of little value.

Stolen from Christopher's bicycle store—Two automobile lamps, oil; one automobile lamp, electric; one automobile testing machine, valued at $15; two inner tube auto tires, valued at $24; three bicycle tires, $12; twenty-five boxes of tape; six oil cans; twenty electric bells, $20; twelve cyclometers, $12; belt lacing, monkey wrenches, and postage stamps.

The same boys stripped the bell cords from three Clark street cable cars while in the barns.

BISHOP HITS DIVORCE ACTION.

Makes Indirect Attack on Illinois Senate for Amending House Bill.

Springfield, Ill., April 21.—Bishop Seymour at the Good Friday services at Christ Episcopal church today made an indirect attack on the Illinois senate in an address vigorously denouncing the divorce evil. He said if people seeking divorces did not know that they could be remarried to some one else as soon as they had secured a divorce there would be fewer suits brought. The senate had, by a majority of one, Lieut. Gov. Sherman casting the deciding vote, passed an amendment to the house divorce bill permitting the person securing a divorce to remarry at once instead of within one year, according to the provisions of the house bill.

SECRET SERVICE CALLED ILLEGAL.

Packers' Lawyers May Protest Against Sleuths' Work in Beef Inquiry.

CITE FEDERAL STATUTES.

Chief Wilkie Replies That Congress Authorized Employment of His Men.

The federal authorities learned yesterday that the packing companies were considering the advisability of protesting to the government against the employment of secret service men in the investigation of the alleged beef trust, on the ground that they cannot be employed legally for anything but the suppression of counterfeiting. John E. Wilkie, chief of the secret service bureau, promptly settled this question by citing cases in which government detectives had been employed on other work than the detection of counterfeiting.

Several of the attorneys for the packers held a conference yesterday afternoon, and one of them quoted a section of the federal statutes, which, in effect, said that secret service agents could not be employed in any capacity except for the suppression of counterfeiting.

Opinion of Chief Wilkie.

"It is true that the statutes provide that the secret service department shall be used solely for the detection and suppression of counterfeiting," said Chief Wilkie, when asked for this opinion, "but there is nothing to prevent the payment of detectives for other work from special funds. The secret service men employed on the investigation of the packing companies are paid from a fund of $500,000 appropriated for that purpose by a special act of congress.

"There have been several instances where secret service agents have been employed on other work than the suppression of counterfeiting. The most important of these was the detection of fraud in the Oregon land registration cases."

Chief Wilkie, who has been conducting personally the secret service work in connection with the beef inquiry for several days, will leave today or tomorrow for Honolulu, where he will establish a branch of the government detective service.

Important Witnesses Are Heard.

Two of the more important witnesses heard by the federal grand jury yesterday were L. Beckstein of Beckstein & Co., 214 Market street, and his manager, Samuel Dolton. These witnesses have spent considerable of their time in England and their testimony is said to have related chiefly to the practices and prices of the sausage casing enterprise in that country. Other witnesses were Isadore Maller and Nicholas Wolf of Wolf, Bayer & Heller. N. G. Conybear, formerly local manager for Sir Thomas Lipton's Packingtown interests; Richard Oakes of Roberts & Oakes, independent commission men; and Morris Callahan, an independent hog packer, waited all day in the witness room, but were not called on to testify. Frank Bischoff, who has been in the sausage casing business for thirty-seven years, twenty-five of which was in the employ of Armour & Co., was excused until Monday.

The jury will adjourn today noon until Monday. Two-thirds of the witnesses have been heard.

POLICE SEEK MISSING CASHIER.

Charles Szmolinszky Said to Have Embezzled Nearly $10,000 from His Employers.

The police have been asked to search for Charles Szmolinszky, who is alleged to have embezzled nearly $10,000 of the funds of his employers, the Flanagan & Biedenweg company, art glass manufacturers, 59 Illinois street.

Love for champagne and other luxuries is said to have led Szmolinszky astray. His wife and children are in Chicago, but the detectives working on the case believe the missing man has gone east with the intention of leaving the United States for Europe.

He had been employed for two years by the Flanagan & Biedenweg company as a cashier and bookkeeper. The money he is accused of taking is alleged to have disappeared at the rate of more than $300 a month.

GROSSMAN MAY BE INDICTED.

Justice Underwood Thinks the Accused Man Holds Office of Constable Illegally.

Louis Grossman, dubbed "Chicago's transient constable," added another to the already long list of addresses which he says represent his "homes" of the last six months, in Justice Underwood's court yesterday afternoon. He told the magistrate he had neglected to mention 288 Fifty-fifth street as one of the places at which he had lived in Hyde Park since he was appointed constable there. After hearing all of the evidence, Justice Underwood said that there was no doubt that Grossman illegally held the office of constable and that the case should be taken directly before the grand jury. In order that this could be done the final hearing of the case was continued until April 28.

NEWSBOYS WARN OF IMPOSTOR.

Negro, Without Authority, Solicits Aid for Reception and Ball of Association.

The first annual reception and ball of the Chicago Newsboys' Protective association will be held Sunday afternoon and evening, April 30, from 2 to 12 p. m., at 106 De Koven street. In this connection, the committee, William Weber and James and Tony Parcillia, announce that a negro is going about begging for clothes and pretending to sell tickets for the ball. They say no one is employed by the association to solicit money or clothes or to sell tickets, and they offer a reward of $10 for the arrest of the swindler. The association's headquarters is 158 Washington street.

Loving Cup Given to John Farson.

The directors of the Chicago Automobile club presented their former president, John Farson, with a loving cup yesterday noon. A parade of automobiles will be held in Chicago on or about May 13. The club banquet has been postponed until after the races, which will be run on May 27, 29, and 30.

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The Quincy Herald.

THE TRIBUNE was founded June 10, 1847, and therefore has reached a respectable age. But it is young as compared with the Quincy Herald, which was three score and ten last Tuesday. Old as the Herald is, there are two Illinois papers which outrank it—the Springfield Journal, started in November, 1831, and the Galena Gazette, established in 1834. Several papers started in other parts of the state about the same time or at an earlier date have perished, but the three last mentioned have held on through good and evil fortune and ought now to be proof against all accidents. Quincy has not quite realised the prediction of the editor of the Herald in 1836 that it was to be the largest city on the Mississippi river, with the exception of St. Louis. The editor did not dream of the future which awaited St. Paul and Minneapolis. But Quincy has grown, so much that it is now the third largest city in the state. Chicago stands at the head, with Peoria second. The Herald has so large a constituency now that it is not astonishing to learn that it is prospering.

Veto Power Used.

The senate anti-policy bill which was passed by the house on Thursday by a vote of 131 to 0, and now wants only Gov. Deneen's signature to become a law, will banish policy from Chicago and Illinois if public officials are reasonably vigilant and vigorous in enforcing it. The New York law, on which it is modeled, has proved remarkably effective, among those convicted under its provisions being "Al" Adams, the notorious "policy king," who was sent to Sing Sing. Policy is one of the most demoralizing forms of gambling. Those who have once played seem incapable afterward of resisting its fascination, although it is obvious from the big gains of the proprietors of the game that, as usually conducted, it is little better than plain robbery. It has special attractions for the poor and ignorant. Laborers are deprived of their wages and newsboys of their pennies, while the worthless, heartless scoundrels who rob them live in luxury. The provisions of the proposed law are drastic, and they ought to be. Experience has shown that the policy robbers can be driven out of business only by severe measures.

Municipal Courts.

A municipal courts bill has passed both houses, and is ready for the governor's signature. The justices and constables who will be separated from their offices by it do not feel so cheerful as they did while they had a faint hope that the two houses might disagree and block legislation on the subject. But the people who have been longing for years to get rid of the justice shop and the "strong arm" constable must not imagine that the signing by the governor of the bill that has been sent him will give them speedy relief. The law will have to be submitted to them for their approval. They are ready to ratify it, but it will also have to be taken to the Supreme court to test the constitutionality of the constitutional amendment which gave the general assembly authority to enact it. Most lawyers believe the amendment will be upheld. The justices and constables are strongly of the opinion that it ought not to be, and they will not abandon hope until the Supreme court has said that the law is perfect in all respects. It will be some time before the municipal courts can be put in operation and the people have an opportunity to know how satisfactorily they work.

SENATOR PLATT OF CONNECTICUT.

The members of every legislative body may be roughly divided into two classes, the men of talk and the men of business. The men of talk are always in their places charged with eloquence when a measure of widespread popular interest is to be discussed. They are not always there at other times. Many of them don't know much about what is doing in the departments of government; but they do know how "the applause of listening senates to command."

Orville H. Platt, who died yesterday after a long illness, was a business statesman. He was not cut out for a Demosthenes. But while he could not command the senate's applause, he could command its attention. He was industry personified. He knew every detail of the senate's work. He was a master of parliamentary procedure. He knew what was going on in all the departments at Washington. His integrity was above question. His fellow senators knew he never spoke unless he had something important to say, and they knew he would not wittingly mislead them.

In consequence, Senator Platt ranked with Allison of Iowa and the laborious Cockrell of Missouri among the senators who can get things done. His most important stroke of statesmanship was the "Platt amendment," by which Cuba, on being granted freedom, was forbidden to involve herself deeply in debt or to commit other acts which would seriously compromise herself or the United States with foreign powers. This measure alone would entitle Mr. Platt to a place among the leading American constructive statesmen of his time.

The talking statesmen are useful in their way. The country couldn't get along without them. Their speeches help fix popular attention upon the leading issues and elucidate them. They may even serve sometimes to influence the action of wavering fellow legislators. But, after all, the statesmen who bring things to pass, are the real salt of the earth of government. They are the men who keep the wheels running and prevent the machinery from getting out of gear; and if the results ground out are satisfactory they deserve most of the credit.

During his twenty-six years' service in the senate Mr. Platt of Connecticut contributed [illegible] in his quiet way to the smooth, [illegible] working of the national government.

TRIPLE STATE [illegible] SYSTEM.

For the edification o[illegible] of THE TRIBUNE who may wish [illegible] the deliberate conclusions of a leading democratic newspaper as to the policy outlined by Mr. Bryan in his speech at the Chicago Jefferson day banquet, there is printed in another part of today's paper the editorial which appeared in yesterday's New York World. That exponent of old fashioned democratic principles finds in Mr. Bryan's speech and in statements of [illegible] ates ample evidence of his determ[illegible] destroy the democratic party and s[illegible] for it one whose single creed is state socialism for the city, the state, and the nation. The city is to take over street railways and telephone and lighting systems. The state is to become the owner of local steam railroads and interurban electric lines. The national government is to take charge of railroad trunk lines and ultimately of telegraphs, long distance telephone lines, American steamship lines on the rivers, the great lakes, and the high seas, oil refineries, the mines, and other public utilities which are not purely local. Add to these government savings banks, and the savings as well as the industries and transportation of the people would be in the hands of a gigantic bureaucracy.

The Bryan program contemplates the overthrow of democratic institutions—the substitution for them of a government of office holders, or of the man or men who control them, by giving them all they ask for. The World estimates that there are about 2,000,000 persons employed by railroads and other public service corporations of the country. Make those men the office holders Mr. Bryan wishes they should be and then calculate the political influence they would exert, bearing in mind the influence now exerted by policemen, firemen, letter carriers, and the men on the federal pension rolls.

The city is the creature of the state and can be regulated by it. The political machine which controlled the socialized state would regulate the socialized city so effectually that there would be but one machine to which all city or state office holders had to look up. There would be a national machine which would cultivate harmonious relations with the state machines.

As the office holders grew in number and they became conscious of their strength they would continually demand higher wages and shorter hours. The political machine which was most prompt in meeting the demands or which was the first to anticipate them would get the votes of the employés of a state and would retain power so long as they were the obedient servants of the office holders—the new ruling class.

Centralization such as that Mr. Bryan favors may be dangerous to liberty. By means of his influence over the office holders and industries of Mexico Diaz is perpetual president. His control of the machinery of a centralized government made Louis Napoleon emperor.

THE TRIBUNE sympathizes unreservedly with the World, whose attitude is eminently correct. Mr. Bryan's socialistic program is subversive of American democratic institutions. This paper has expressed to that effect repeatedly, and hears in what the World says an echo of its own utterances. The editor of the World must be an attentive reader of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.

RATE REGULATION IN WISCONSIN.

There seems to be a fair prospect that the Wisconsin legislature will pass a railroad bill which will be reasonably satisfactory to Gov. La Follette. In that event he will not feel obliged to appeal to the people again to elect men who will enact the legislation he desires and will be at liberty to go to Washington next fall.

The compromise bill which it is said has the governor's approval authorizes the railroad commission to have hearings as to rates which are alleged to be unreasonable, and, if it shall come to the conclusion that they are, to prescribe reasonable ones to take effect at the end of sixty days. A road which is dissatisfied with a finding can appeal to the courts within the sixty days, and the question of reasonableness will be fought out again there.

The bill, if it shall become a law, will apply exclusively to local business, but its workings will throw light on the question of the regulation of rates where interstate commerce is concerned. If it be shown that the powers which it is proposed to bestow on the Wisconsin railroad commission are exercised for the benefit of the people without prejudice to the railways—without depriving them of a fair return for their services—the conclusion can properly be drawn that a method of dealing with the railroad rate question which has worked well on a small scale will not work badly on a large scale. If it be proved that the state of Wisconsin can get a competent and just railroad commission there can be no doubt as to the ability of the national government to get one.

The interstate commerce committee of the senate is giving railroad presidents an opportunity to deliver long arguments against the regulation of rates by an agency of the national government. The Wisconsin general assembly is more profitably employed than the committee. Apparently it is determined to put the regulation of rates by a commission in operation and find how it works.

NEWS FROM SCOTLAND.

THE TRIBUNE takes great pleasure in presenting to its readers this morning the first of a series of letters from its correspondent, Raymond, with regard to the municipal ownership and the municipal operation of street car lines and of other public utilities in Great Britain.

This series will continue till the readers of THE TRIBUNE have been given a comprehensive picture of British municipal conditions. Glasgow will not be the only city visited. Raymond will pursue his investigations from city to city in Scotland, England, and Wales.

A certain amount of information has been published in this country with regard to the statistics of British municipal government. Raymond will go back of statistics into the personal composition of the British municipal legislatures and into the methods by which the British municipal employés are selected.

A flower may be a good flower or a bad flower in its native country, but before it is transplanted there should be a study of the soil in which it has grown up. Raymond's letters will deal with the soil as well as with the flower. They will attempt to portray the British traditions of the public service, the reasons why there is so little corruption in that service, and the differences between the politics of the British city and the politics of the American city.

THE TRIBUNE hopes that Raymond's letters will increase the stock of knowledge now at the disposal of its readers for an understanding of the biggest problem now before Chicago and will give them much valuable information about traction conditions in Glasgow before the expert from that city has reached here. Chicagoans are an impatient people who have no fondness for delayed news.

It looks a little [illegible] suicide when a gas bill dies of a [illegible]

WOULD the teamsters consider a proposition for a temporary truce when President Roosevelt visits Chicago?

IT would be hard to improve upon young Mr. Hyde's method of getting his money into circulation expeditiously. He is paying it out to his lawyers.

THE rigid utilitarian [illegible] sees the interior of the federal building for the first time may object to all that waste of space between the first floor and the top of the dome.

WHEN those warm days came in March you supposed your winter consumption of coal was over. Did you?

IT is one of Admiral Togo's peculiarities that he never thunders in his index.

THE New York papers will have to enlarge themselves or devote less space to unimportant matters. The Nan Patterson case is up again.

TOM LAWSON will be the fourth of July orator at Ottawa, Kas. That's all.

A BINGHAMTON astrologer says a part of New York City will be destroyed by an earthquake this year. This seems to be in line with the statement of the Rev. Sam Jones to the effect that there is only half a mile of crust between New York City and a lake of burning brimstone.

AN observer at this distance is puzzled to know how Russia can spare the time to court martial Gen. Stoessel.

THE power companies that are trying to use the New York legislature in destroying Niagara falls may as well take their bill and Leggett homeward.

THE rapidly lengthening span of life in Chicago is satisfactory proof that there is nothing like plenty of ozone and boiled water for promoting longevity.

THERE is a movement for a later fourth of July. Many citizens would prefer to have it earlier, in order that the agony may be over as soon as possible.

MR. COMERFORD has been seated. As a special mark of consideration the legislature remained seated during the performance.

THE cowardly miscreant that will throw acid on a horse will naturally do it in such a way as to escape detection.

MR. COMERFORD may be surprised to see how much attention he will not attract in the legislature this time.

EASTER Sunday in St. Louis will be marked by the regular easterly procession across the big bridge.

MANY of the Wisconsin bachelors have been heard from. They say they would rather pay the $10.

UNFORTUNATELY a reform in the municipal courts of Chicago will not reform the Cook county justices outside of Chicago.

GOV. LA FOLLETTE, having got Wisconsin off his hands, is ready to wash them and accept the senatorship.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Studies of the Vernacular.

"Watcha gunta wear freaster?" asked the girl who was buying some chocolate creams.

"You jess keepanigh on me," responded the girl behind the candy counter; "newi see. Watchoo?"

"Thing kime gunta tell few don't? Saylis! Yawta getanafnoon offun k'mover."

"Wawfor?"

"Ojesskaws! Lemmyno soonuff forehand."

"Watch uptoo now?"

"Sawlright. Saylis, wojjer reckon Jack Braggle say wenny ears——"

"Oozee?"

"Awgitout! Thing kewrafoolin me, dooya?"

"Ooza trine——"

"Ainchoo gottalotta nerve——"

"Fy shoo wide talkabout nerve!"

At which point they attracted the attention of the floorwalker, and the conversation ceased.

Rejoice!

Sound the loud timbrel o'er land and o'er sea!
The foe has been routed. He's turning to flee.
Shout the glad tidings, ye children of men—
Niagara falls have been saved again!

Appropriated It.

Her—"They say there is only one person in fifteen who has perfect eyes."

Him (with uncommon fervor)—"In fifteen? There's only one in a million!"

Her—"There you go again, Mr. Spoonamore! Always flattering somebody!"

For Obvious Reasons.

New Yorker—"I suppose you know where our Chinese quarter is located?"

Visitor (from the west)—"I'm not sure, but I should think it ought to be somewhere near the Flatiron building."

Reminded Him.

"Do you know," said Gwilliams, "that old violin of yours reminds me of a priceless Stradivarius we used to have in my father's family?"

"Indeed?" said Stiint, immensely tickled.

"Yes. It is shaped something like it, has four strings, and you play it by drawing a bow across it."

Foreknowledge.

Dinguss—"By the way, Shadbolt, do you take any stock in this theory that microbes——"

Shadbolt—"Make money unsafe to handle? Yes, it's true. I'm not going to expose you to danger by lending you any money this time, Dinguss. So long!"

C. W. T.

PERSONAL.

Gen. Grant's tomb at Riverside, in New York, is about 100 feet square and 175 feet high.

Francis T. F. Lovejoy, a Pittsburg millionaire, will build a $1,000,000 home at Colorado Springs.

It is said that Jean de Reszke receives monthly at his home in Paris the freshest batch of "coon" songs from an American publishing house.

John Wirt Randall of Annapolis, Md., has the letter written by Thomas Jefferson offering the presidency of the University of Virginia to William Wirt.

Gov. Warfield of Maryland is a Yale graduate "once removed." A real Yale graduate taught in the log schoolhouse where the governor learned to read.

Prof. Hugo Muensterberg of Harvard has refused the chair of philosophy and psychology at the University of Koenigsburg, Germany, the chair once occupied by Kant.

Lord Curzon learned a speech in all the dialects of the tribes of India, talked it into a phonograph, and it will thus be sent broadcast over the British possessions in that country.

LETTER OF MARQUISE DE FONTENOY

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ON the occasion of the celebration of the seventy-fifth anniversary of the declaration of independence of Belgium next August, Prince Albert, who spent eight months in this country in 1898, will be proclaimed next heir to the throne in the place of his father, the count of Flanders. The latter, though younger than King Leopold and a man of the most blameless private life, is much older looking and less well preserved than his brother, and is afflicted with a number of ailments, chief among which is his deafness, which is complete. In fact, were he to become king, there would be considerable difficulty in carrying on the business of state.

No minister would ever be able to boast of "having the ear" of his sovereign, and there would be no other means of communicating to him important secrets of state save in writing. There have been some stone blind monarchs who have actually reigned and governed, as, for instance, the last king of Hanover, who even took part in the battle of Langensalza, which brought about the loss of his crown, and the old grand duke of Mecklenburg-Strelitz, who died last year after having occupied his throne for nearly fifty years. But so far as I am aware, there has never been a stone deaf sovereign, or at any rate one who has succeeded to the crown while incurably afflicted with this infirmity. It is believed that the count of Flanders inherited his deafness from his mother, who was Princess Louise Marie Thérèse, a daughter of King Louis Philippe. Many of the Bourbons, especially of the Orleans branch, have suffered from deafness, and one of the deafest princesses of the blood whom I can recall was the last empress of Brazil, who was by birth a member of the house of Bourbon.

The count of Flanders is happily married to Princess Marie of Hohenzollern, sister of the king of Roumania, and his one great sorrow in life has been the tragic death of his eldest son, Prince Baldwin, whose violent end in a house in the Avenue Louise at Brussels remains still to this day shrouded in a kindly mystery.

All Rome is talking just now of an anonymous pamphlet entitled "Pius X., His Acts and His Intentions," which, according to some, is the work of the holy father himself; according to others, has been approved by him, but which under any circumstances is the work of some important churchman in Rome, with an extraordinary knowledge of the curia and a close and intimate acquaintance with the ideas of Pius X. It indicates the reforms which the pontiff has at heart and in view. Some of them are of the most radical character. They are in connection with the administration of the church and aim at increased economy and efficiency, and, above all, the doing away with perquisites. One revelation which will be of interest in this country concerns the present pope's prejudice to the appointment of coadjutors. "Bishops who through infirmity or old age have become incapable of performing their duties in person should be compelled to resign and to give way to other prelates who are able to safeguard the welfare and the administration of the dioceses. Coadjutors do not serve this purpose."

Lord Valentia, who has just been appointed a lord of the treasury, is, in spite of his being a peer, a member of the house of commons. His viscounty is an Irish one. But he has never gone through the formality of establishing his succession to the peerage which he holds. He would experience no difficulty in doing so, but has refrained on grounds similar to those of Lord Palmerston. "Old Pam," one of the most famous premiers of the Victorian era, was for half a century or more a power in the house of commons. His peerage, like that of Lord Valentia, was an Irish one, which enabled him to sit in the house of commons. Had he, however, gone through the formality of establishing his succession to his father's Irish viscounty the other Irish peers would have had it in their power to elect him, nolens volens, as one of the representatives of the Irish peerage in the house of lords. That would have landed him for life in the upper chamber of the legislature and have barred forever to him the house of commons.

It is one of the anomalies of the Irish peerage, little understood abroad, that its members, unlike the peers of the united kingdom of England and of Scotland, can sit in the house of commons as long as they have not been elected by their fellow Irish peers to represent for the remainder of their life the Irish peerage in the house of lords. They cannot decline election of this kind. Sometimes they are not even consulted about it. But the moment they have been elected they cease during the remainder of their days to enjoy the right of sitting in the house of commons, which, in the event of their being statesmen of any importance, is, of course, a great loss to the party to which they belong, since the house of lords spells political obscurity when compared with the lower chamber of the national legislature. That is why some of them neglect to fulfill the necessary formalities on their succession to their titles.

The presence of the imperial Japanese Prince and Princess Arisugawa at the wedding of the German crown prince bids fair to prove a source of no end of embarrassment to the kaiser and to his court officials and would willingly have been dispensed with. For the prince and princess are coming to Berlin to compliment the kaiser in the way of a special mission rather than as invited and welcome guests.

There will naturally be a number of members of the imperial house of Russia at the wedding. Indeed, the mother of the bride is a Russian grand duchess, and so, too, is the crown princess' aunt, the widowed duchess of Saxe-Coburg, who has been invited. While Russia and Japan remain at war it is, to say the least, awkward for members of the reigning families of these two countries to find themselves brought together as fellow guests at court festivities, state functions, etc., such as those which signalize an imperial wedding and the difficulties in connection with the precedence to be accorded these imperial visitors from Japan—difficulties that on former analogous occasions have led to disagreeable contretemps—are certain to crop up again at Berlin in June, owing to the reluctance of German royalties, no matter how petty their rank, to yield the "pas" to Asiatics, while, of course, Russian grand dukes and grand duchesses would not hear of making way for the mikado's cousins.

One by one all our cherished illusions are being destroyed. The Schiller centennial next month led to a proposal the other day in Berlin to commemorate the occasion by giving to one of the principal streets in the suburb of Rixdorff the name of that William Tell whom Schiller contributed so much to glorify by his drama, whereupon several of the city fathers arose and called attention to the fact that the Tell of Schiller and of patriotic Helvetian tradition had been shown to be a myth, largely through the iconoclastic researches of eighteenth century learned members of that Iselin family which, formerly established at Basle, is now settled in New York. It is disagreeable to be thus reminded that William Tell is a creature of fancy rather than of reality, and now Sir Lawrence Alma-Tadema, the distinguished Anglo-Dutch painter and royal academician in London, has put an end to our illusions to the effect that Moses as a child was found in the bulrushes.

Sir Lawrence has just painted a picture of "The Finding of Moses," which is to be one of the features of the Royal academy exhibition this year, and on attention having been drawn to the fact that there are no bulrushes in the painting Sir Lawrence immediately proved that there were no such things as bulrushes in Egypt, and especially not on the Nile. Sir Lawrence explains that he had assured himself of this fact while in Egypt, which he had visited in order to get the local color before painting the picture, which has already been purchased by Sir John Aird, the constructor of the great Nile dam. The picture possesses a special interest for Sir John Aird in view of the fact that it is his own daughter who sat for the figure of Pharoah's daughter. Our illusion about the bulrushes seems to have originated in a faulty translation of the scriptures.

No Doubt.

Dr. Wolfgang Weichhardt's antitoxin for laziness is made of strychnine. It will cure the complaint if the doses are made large enough.—Ohio State Journal.

Cry for Aid.

Reform is necessary. Let there be fewer divorces. Let there be more good cooks.—New York Mail.

A LINE-O'-TYPE OR TWO.

Pegasus on State Street.

[BY W-LT WH-TM-N.]

TODAY

I am trying to buy a collar button.
I hurl myself into the maelstrom of shopping.
I see the fat woman with the impossible hair buying a dress that will make her look like a bale of hay.
I see the skinny women and the medium, and the comely and the uncomely.
I see that all are rushing toward one goal.
I see that all want to get dresses and hats that will be like the ones somebody else has,
I see also that at the same time they want to buy something that nobody else will have.
A mighty chorus of women telling one another what kind of sleeves are the real thing.
I hear a surging song of: "It's the way they are all made this year, m[illegible]
I stand alone among this multitude.
I think of the hopes and fears, the dreams and desires of humanity.
I marvel upon the diversity of humanity.
I ponder upon its unanimity also.
I see the lame, the halt and the blind, the stout, the slim, the pudgy, and the lissome,
I note that each and all strive toward a common attainment.
I find that they all want to have the same but something different.
I am trying to buy a collar button.
I am swept aside as a pebble is flung to the shore by a wave.
I am jammed against counters and bumped into showcases.
I am moved to ask myself: "What is man and where does he get off?"
I am inspired by the great elementary barbaric savageness of the day.
I am afraid if this keeps up I'll be buying a dress for myself.
I am shopping for a collar button.
I fight my way to the collar buttonery.
I do not like the looks of the collar button.
I am told: "It's the way they're all made this year."
I get my collar button—even as a man striveth for mighty prizes.
I see in all this the great lesson of life.
I realize now that we do not dress for ourselves, but that we wear things we think other folks will like.
I am sad. A cloud of darkness settles upon me.
I am compassionate toward my brethren.
I am glad, though, that I do not have to buy anything but collar buttons.
I am moved to observe that there are lots and lots of men who do not buy collar buttons today, but who get it in the neck just the same.

W. D. N.

NEWS OF THE THEATERS.

Thomas Orchestra.

Good Friday is not a day propitious for an orchestral concert, as the management of the Thomas orchestra discovered yesterday afternoon. The "special Good Friday" program given by Mr. Stock and his men was played before an audience which but sparsely occupied the different parts of the house. Only three of the boxes contained listeners, some 200 or 300 persons were scattered among the seats on the lower floor and the balcony, and the gallery showed many rows of vacant places. Religious sentiment and the lateness of the season doubtless were responsible for the light attendance.

The program was an attractive one, albeit it contained nothing that was new. The first part consisted of the "Grania and Diarmid" music of Elgar, the Unfinished Symphony of Schubert, and the "Death and Transfiguration" of Strauss. The Symphony had had performance at one of the concerts of the regular season and the Strauss tone poem was prominent on the program of the Thomas memorial concert, but yesterday both exerted especial charm because of the care with which they were presented. Rarely have the lovely melodies of the Schubert masterwork been sung with such exquisite lyricism as they were yesterday, and not since the composer himself directed "Death and Transfiguration" here have the dramatic and color values of the brilliant tone poem been so tellingly revealed.

The latter half of the program was devoted to "Parsifal" excerpts. The Prelude, the "Good Friday Spell," and the final Transformation Music and Glorification were the selections played. It was the first time since the music drama was presented here by the Savage and the Conried forces that the orchestra has offered a performance of any portions of the score. The same sane tempos and the same fine sense for the lyric element in the Wagnerian music which made Mr. Stock's reading of the "Tannhäuser" and "Tristan" excerpts a week ago so admirable were again in evidence and caused these "Parsifal" numbers to be eminently satisfying. The "Good Friday Spell," which easily forms the top notch in the whole music drama, so far as musical beauty and worth are concerned, was given with especial finish as regards both rich tonal coloring and the suggestion of perfect peace which distinguishes it.

Tonight a popular program will be presented, and for it Mr. Stock has arranged a list exceptionally attractive. It reads: "Spring" overture, Goldmark; Serenade, Tschaikowsky; Polonaise, Chopin-Thomas; Hungarian Rhapsody No. 1, Liszt; Scene Religieuse, Massenet, 'cello obligato by Mr. Steindel; "Spring Song," Mendelssohn; Waltz, "Village Swallows," Strauss; and Prelude, "Meistersinger," Wagner.

W. L. HUBBARD.

Spain's Boy King.

[From the London Chronicle.]

The young boy king is tall, thin, with a prominent underlip, nose, and jawbone. His eyes are bluish gray—by no means Spanish—and his hair is nut brown. He has winning manners when speaking or smiling, and it is asserted that he is able to speak six languages fluently—viz.: Spanish, German, French, English, Italian, and Portuguese. Don Alfonso is also a military tactician of no mean order. He grasps readily the laws of regimental maneuvering, and when leading a battalion in a sham attack against a foe it is affirmed that he has a natural intuition short of genius for the right move in the right place and at the right time.

Edward's Indorsement Futile.

[From the New York Sun.]

In spite of the eloquent recommendation from King Edward VII., the light gray derby hat, even when mitigated by a black ribbon, could not be made a success last summer. New York shied at it. Those who brought it back from London soon put it away. It is not likely to reappear this season and another less conspicuous summer novelty is now on the market. This is a dark gray hat that would seem almost black but for the steel blue shade of the gray. Some of the smart hat shops are importing this headgear from London and nervously wondering what its fate will be.

Responsibility.

Don't blame the baseball player
Who grows a little vain;
He must furnish the excitement
Till congress meets again.
—Washington Star.

BREAK IN DEMOCRATIC SOLID SOUTH PREDICTED AT THE NEXT ELECTION.

Indications Point to Conversion of Bryan Advocates to Socialism, with General Desertion of Voters in All Sections to Republican Doctrines.

BY RICHARD WEIGHTMAN.

Washington, D. C., April 21.—[Special.]—Judging from the editorial utterances of the southern newspapers Mr. McKinley's dream of a break in the democratic solidity of that section may be realized, to some extent at least, in 1908. The radical section of the press, which of course speaks for the political machine and for that only, continues to celebrate the result of last year's election as a final repudiation of conservative democracy and a triumphant restoration of Mr. Bryan to party leadership.

Writers in this class accept Mr. Roosevelt's astounding majorities as a popular condemnation of "sane and safe democracy," and noisily insist that Mr. Parker's slender vote means the desertion of his own party to the standards adopted by the Chicago convention of 1896. In other words, they dismiss from the equation Mr. Roosevelt's vivid and alluring personality and refuse to consider the idea that hundreds of thousands of good democrats voted for him as an individual who attracted and delighted them, neglecting Mr. Parker, of whom they knew nothing and could find no reason for expecting anything.

Roosevelt Elevated Campaign.

It does not seem to occur to the radical clique that Mr. Roosevelt's prestige, his captivating character, and his brilliant dash and enthusiasm, contrasted with Mr. Parker's [illegible]ss and vague presence, lifted the campaign [illegible]t of party ruts and transformed it [illegible] mental ovation.

All [illegible]s of the episode appear to have been [illegible]on these gentlemen. They forget that the American people elected Theodore Roosevelt without the smallest suggestion or guidance from party managers; that, up to the eve of the fateful day, neither the republican nor the democratic committee had the faintest warning of what was to come.

The truth is that Mr. Roosevelt had gone straight to the people with his appeal; revealed to them his purposes and aspirations with that startling candor which has set him apart from all other public men in our history; ignored organizations, machinery, leaders grown gray in the service, and every hallowed custom, practice, and tradition of political warfare. The committee ground out the usual literature, distributed the usual stale statistics, made the pointless points which office strategists have always made. But nobody read the legends or looked twice at the figures or cared three straws about the points.

Voters Put Precedent Aside.

The voters—republican and democratic alike—were in touch with a man they knew and loved, and, under the influence of his dashing, radiant individuality, they forgot party lines, dismissed the thought of policies and principles, put precedents aside, and elected the man who touched and moved and thrilled them.

These southern editors forget all this, or are incapable of understanding it, and thus we have them declaring that the eruption of 1904 signifies the conversion of the democracy to socialism and its final alienation from the principles of Jefferson and Tilden. The party wants Bryan with all his isms and experiments, and in 1908 it will present a serried front upon those issues. In their philosophy, democracy now stands for government ownership of all public utilities, the suppression of individuality, the closing of every avenue to private merit, the establishment of the commune, and the abolition of personal identity.

Fear Control by Bryan.

But there is another and a far more influential section of the southern press, and in the utterances of these papers I find a different inspiration. They fear, of course, that Mr. Bryan will regain control of the party machinery. They realize the extent of the menace which his present ascendency involves. They admit that, in the light of existing indications, he may reasonably expect to control the machinery of nomination and to dominate the next democratic convention.

It is quite clear, however, that they do not believe the majority of those now calling themselves democrats will follow Mr. Bryan into the domain of socialism; that they look for a general desertion all along the line, not only at the north but in the hitherto solid and compact south. One of the best representatives of conservative southern sentiment, the Charlotte (N. C.) Observer, thus spoke, a day or two ago:

What will the next throw of the dice disclose? This: That the control will be wrested from the conservatives in 1908; that the radicals will purloin the principles of the socialists, as they purloined those of the populists a long time ago, declare them to be democratic doctrines, and rush headlong to destruction. For, mark you, the people of this country have never stood for a revolution such as that to which they will be invited in 1908, and never will.

Facts Justify Dark Forecast.

This is a gloomy forecast, but the facts justify it. As the case now appears the breach in the democratic party will be widened and its defeat rendered more certain. Mr. Bryan and his following will be content with nothing short of a stand for socialism, and the democrats will not stand for it. It is not too early for democrats to begin to inquire of themselves what they will do to avert the calamity and what they will do if it comes.

This is the voice of the responsible and thoughtful class of the south—the class that represents the great industrial and commercial movement throughout that section, the mining, manufacturing, and agricultural interests, the railroads, the banks, the institutions of social order and prosperity. The same voice will be heard in every important southern community. And when the time comes—if present guides to prophecy be justified—the real democratic party will disappear in every section, north, south, east, and west, and the republican party, twice as big as it is now, will face only the socialists, the communists, the anarchists, and the odds and ends of lunacy gathered together under one banner with a false device.

He is an enlightened patriot and statesman who leaves this ferment to its work. The south has served the machine long and faithfully, but the south is growing now—growing rich, and strong, and wise—and her development will continue, no matter who may seek to bar the way.

THE GREATEST SMOKERS OF EUROPE.

The Hollanders are, perhaps, of all the northern European peoples, those who smoke the most. The humidity of their climate makes it almost a necessity, and the moderate cost of tobacco renders it accessible to all.

To show how deeply rooted is the habit, it is enough to say that the boatmen of the trekschuit, the aquatic diligence of Holland, measure distances by smoke. From here, they say, to such and such a place it is, not so many miles, but so many pipes.

When you enter a house, after the first salutations, your host offers you a cigar; when you take leave he hands you another, and often insists upon filling your cigar case.

In the streets you see persons lighting a fresh cigar with the burning stump of the last one, without pausing in their walk, and with the busy air of people who do not wish to lose a moment of time or a mouthful of smoke. Many go to sleep with pipe in mouth, relight it if they wake in the night, and again in the morning before they step out of bed.

It really does appear that smoking is for the Dutchman a necessary vital function.

Many people think that so much smoke dulls the intelligence. Nevertheless, if there be a people, as Esquiroz justly observes, whose intellect is of the clearest and highest precision, it is the Dutch people.

"Smoke," said a Hollander, "is our second breath." Another defined the cigar as the sixth finger of the hand.

Museum for Them.

Commissioner McAdoo probably thinks that the two detectives who refused a $10,000 bribe from a thief ought to be made captains and receive a Carnegie medal for bravery.—New York Press.

"Lest We Forget."

[From the London Statist.]

We, of all people, are least likely to crow over Russia because she has met with reverses in the field. A few years ago we suffered humiliating reverses in South Africa. Fortunately, in our case our adversaries had not a large population to draw upon, and that population did not possess the wonderful military virtues of the Japanese. In the end, therefore, we were able to compel them to lay down arms. But we do not forget in the least that we suffered humiliations because we were unprepared, and because, in our national vanity, we thought it unnecessary to make serious preparation. Therefore, instead of crowing over the Russians or considering that they have suffered prestige, we honestly sympathize with them, provided they show the manly courage to admit that they have been defeated, and that they now intend to devote themselves to the recuperation of their country.

In a Busy Neighborhood.

[From the Winchester (Ky.) Sentinel.]

Mr. Dock Pigg sold twenty-seven head of cattle to B. T. Franklin for 5 cents per pound.

Mr. W. L. Staggs bought of Mrs. James Mason a farm of eighty acres at $67 per acre.

Miss Buck of Paris is the guest of Miss Evelyn Price.

B. T. Fox is confined to his room with neuralgia of the head.

Miss Gippy Fox began school at the Bush schoolhouse Monday.

Miss Minnie Coones of Georgetown is visiting the family of J. C. Richards.

George and Newt Fox started Monday to Illinois, where they will make their home this summer.

Mr. Emery Pigg and Felix Jones of Becknerville were pleasant visitors in our midst Sunday.

Frank Crow sold his tobacco to Mr. Scott for 8 and 4 cents per pound.

"UNGRATEFUL TRUTH."

"She has taken great care of herself, you know."
"Yes. But her age is telling on her at last."
"What ingratitude!"—Punch.

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IN THE SOCIETY WORLD:

WEDDING OF MISS STONE TO MR. JOHN RYERSON ON WEDNESDAY.

Miss Louise Boothe to Attend the Bride and Dr. Edwin Ryerson to Be Best Man—Engagement of Miss Leila Coulter to Mr. Will Van Benthuysen Is Announced—Mrs. J. Edmund Strong to Give a Luncheon Thursday for Miss Albertine Fiersham.

Miss Violet Stone, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Stone, 128 Rush street, whose marriage to Mr. John Albert Ryerson will take place next Wednesday evening, will have but one attendant, Miss Louise Worthington Peirce of Derby, Conn. the young niece of the bride, who has spent the winter here with her aunt. Mr. Ryerson will have his brother, Dr. Edwin Warner Ryerson, as best man, having served in like capacity at the wedding of Miss Adelaide Hamilton and Dr. Ryerson last fall. The ushers will be Mr. Harold Fowler McCormick, Mr. Louis Valentine Le Moyne, Mr. Harry Lockman Wood, Mr. Francis Corning Kenly, Mr. Hugh Whitney Johnston, and Mr. Francis T. A. Noble.

The wedding, which will take place at St. James' Episcopal church, will be one of the events of Easter week and the full vested choir will sing the wedding march from "Lohengrin" as the bridal party goes to the altar. Dr. Stone, father of the bride, and rector of the church, will perform the ceremony.

Mr. Ryerson will entertain his best man and ushers at dinner on Monday evening.

The engagement has been announced of Miss Arleen Silvers of Cincinnati to Mr. Edgar R. Shoenberger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip K. Shoenberger, 567 East Division street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Coulter, 4760 Champlain avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Leila Hazel Coulter, to Mr. William Van Benthuysen Jr. of New York, son of Mrs. Julia Will Van Benthuysen. No date has been set for the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Coulter and their daughter will leave next week for New York, where they will reside hereafter. Miss Harriet Peterson, 1589 West Adams street, entertained informally yesterday for Miss Coulter.

Mrs. J. Edmund Strong, 598 East Division street, will give a luncheon on Thursday for Miss Albertine Fiersham, who will have several other pretty affairs given for her before her wedding to Mr. Joseph Loring Valentine takes next Saturday evening. On Monday Miss Beatrice Key, 85 Rush street, will give a kitchen shower for the birde-elect, and on Wednesday Miss Isabel Adams will give a dinner followed by a theater party.

Mr. William J. Calhoun and Miss Calhoun, 397 Erie street, have issued cards for at home to take place next Wednesday afternoon from 4 to 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Armstrong, 5422 Dorchester avenue, will give a large dance next Saturday evening.

Mr. Mode Wineman will give a dinner this evening at the Quadrangle club in honor of Miss Helene Modjeska, who later in the evening will be given a reception by the club. Mr. Wineman's guests will be Mme. Modjeska, Count Bozenta, Prof. and Mrs. Carl Darr, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Modjeski, Mrs. William R. Harper, and Prof. Robert Francis Harper.

The marriage of Miss Harriet Margaret Hutchinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hutchinson of Austin, to Mr. Thomas C. Wakefield, will take place today at the family residence. After an extensive trip through the east Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson will reside in Chicago for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edgar Gould, 42 Grovedale road, will receive informally this afternoon and evening, the occasion being their silver wedding anniversary.

Mrs. John F. Stevens and children, 67 Lake Shore drive, has returned from a month's visit at Augusta, Ga.

Mrs. A. O. Mason and their son and daughter have returned from the south and opened their summer home, Comely Bank, Highland Park.

Miss Nathalie Duell, 2953 Michigan avenue, returned on Wednesday from a six weeks' visit in New York and Baltimore.

"BASEMENT POET" BUSY MAN; LAST TESTIMONY IS GIVEN.

Details of Wife's Building Tell of His Many Occupations—Hintz Explains His Separation and "Egg Episode."

The closing testimony in the suit for divorce brought by Mrs. Lilly Hintz against Joseph C. Hintz, the "basement poet," was given yesterday in Judge Brentano's court. Witnesses testified that Hintz was a man of many occupations—in fact, he was working all the time. Arguments in the case will be made this morning, after which it will go to the jury.

"Hintz was more than the janitor," declared Joseph E. Allen, a tenant of the plaintiff's building, 610 Evanston avenue. "He was the steamfitter, plumber, calciminer, painter, carpenter, and messenger boy, and sometimes he was the scrubwoman also."

Mr. Allen said he thought his own wife, not Mrs. Hintz, was the "hardest working woman in the building."

Hintz said the differences between him and his wife arose over the fact that the latter had more love for Lillian Arndt, her daughter, than for her husband.

"I went to the basement to live," the poet said, "because I seemed to be superfluous and above among folks." Among the incidents contributing to his removal was the "egg episode," he said.

"The supper table was spread one evening when I came in," he said. "My plate was in place and on it was only one egg. I told Mrs. Hintz that was not enough for a workingman, and she threw the plate on the floor."

"And the egg?" asked the attorney.

"Yes, it broke, and then I wished I had not spoken."

ARBOR DAY IGNORED BY PUPILS.

Falling on Good Friday, Schools Were Closed for the Annual Spring Vacation.

Good Friday was a holiday for 250,000 public school children in Chicago, and as one result Arbor day was not officially celebrated by the children. Instead of assisting in setting a small tree, which in time might be grown to a stately oak in the school yard, the Chicago boy or girl of school age was permitted to remain at home. Their vacation will last until a week from Monday. The spring cleaning season is at hand in the public schools, and hundreds of employés of the board of education are busily engaged in cleaning the 241 public school buildings in the city. In the schools of the rural districts under the direction of County Superintendent Nightingale Arbor day was celebrated in many instances.

DISEASE EXPERTS IN SESSION.

American Association of Pathologists and Bacteriologists Meets Here in Annual Convention.

The American Association of Pathologists and Bacteriologists held the first day's session of its fifth annual convention yesterday in the Reynolds club at the University of Chicago. These officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Dr. James Ewing, New York; vice president, Dr. A. S. Warthin, Ann Arbor; secretary, Dr. H. C. Emit, Boston; treasurer, Dr. N. U. Williams, Buffalo; member of the national council, Dr. F. B. Mallory, Boston. Among the Chicagoans who read papers before the convention yesterday were G. F. Ruediger, Dr. Alice Hamilton, Miss Jessie M. Horton, George H. Weaver, and W. H. Manwaring. The association held its banquet at the Chicago Athletic club last evening.

SUMMER COLDS.

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By George C. Howland, Jeannette L. Gilder, Ella W. Peattie.

AMONG THE NEW BOOKS.

REVIEWS OF CURRENT PUBLICATIONS.

CONFESSIONS OF A PUBLISHER.

Reviewed by Jeannette L. Gilder, Editor of the Critic.

FOR a book of its size the little volume of "A PUBLISHER'S CONFESSION" (Doubleday, Page & Co.) has made a good deal of talk. But, after all, it is not a confession. The publisher who wrote these papers, which were first contributed to the Boston Transcript, confesses nothing; he simply gives the publisher's point of view. And at that the book is interesting, but it would be much more lively if he really confessed. Publishers know a lot that they can't tell; not so much about themselves and their own business as about authors. The public would stand aghast if it knew how tricky are some of the authors whom they hold in the highest esteem. Whether this trickiness comes from ignorance, or whether it arises merely from the greed for gain, is a question. In some cases it may be ignorance; in others, however, it is the greediest sort of greed, and I do not hesitate to say that if a publisher played the tricks upon an author that some authors play upon publishers there would be a public howl. I for one do not believe that any English or American publisher of reputation would do a dishonorable trick. The thing is simply impossible. Of course in every business there are swindlers, and there may be swindlers in the publishing business, but their reputation is pretty well known and they do not count among the firms whose names are household words.

It is generally believed in publishing circles that Mr. Walter H. Page of the firm that issues "A Publisher's Confession" is the author of the book. It has all the earmarks of his style, and there are a number of statements made that are known to be the views of that particular publishing house. And then Mr. Page is a writer with a style that is familiar to readers of The World's Work, and we think that we find this style in this "Confession." If Mr. Page did write this book I am more than surprised that he should say: "For my part I cannot weep because Mr. James and Mr. Howells do not find many readers for their latest books. They find all they deserve. Mere words were never worth much money or worth much else." Do I interpret this publisher aright? That he regards "The Golden Bowl" and "The Son of Royal Langbrith" as mere words?

"Why does a man read a novel?" he asks; and answers his question by saying that he reads it for one of two things—"either a real insight into human nature (he got that in 'David Harum'), or he seeks diversion, entertainment. A writer's style is only a part of the machinery of presentation. The main thing is that he has something to present." This may be what a man reads a novel for, but I don't think that it is the same with a woman. When I say a woman, I don't mean the silly young girl who thrives on sentimental tales. I mean the woman of cultivation. She is the one who admires the literary touch in a book. She has the leisure to enjoy. She reads for something more than diversion, which is all that the average man reads for.

I dare say that one thing that this publisher says is quite true, and that is that there is little money made out of general publishing. A publisher must have a specialty or a magazine to make his business pay. Educational books, sets of classics, subscription books, or magazines are what build up a publisher's business. It is also true what this writer says—that if any one of our well known publishers put the same amount of energy and ability into the management of a bank or some industrial enterprise that he gives to the publishing of books he could earn much larger returns. The publishing business is much like virtue—it is largely its own reward.

Mrs. Wharton is making much of her Italian experiences. She has used them for fiction and she has used them for fact. As instances, "The Valley of Decision" and "Italian Gardens." And now comes "ITALIAN BACKGROUNDS" (Scribner), a volume of her Italian impressions. In a good many respects this book is more valuable than her "Italian Gardens," for the reason that she is dealing with subjects that she knows, perhaps, more about. She makes no pretense to anything but to the statement of her own feelings on certain subjects, such as "An Alpine Posting Inn," "The Sanctuaries of the Pennine Alps," "A Tuscan Shrine," and so forth.

Mrs. Wharton has not the special gift for description that we find in Maurice Hewlett, but she has a careful and conscientious style of presentation that is attractive in these days of slapdash writing. In the chapter devoted to "An Alpine Posting Inn" I turn to this characteristic description:

The landscape is simple, spacious, and serene. The fields suggest the tranquil rumination of generations of cattle, the woods offer cool security to sylvan life, the mountains present blunt, weather beaten surfaces rather than the subtle contours, wrinkled as by meditation, of the Italian Alps. One feels that it is a scene in which nothing has ever happened. The haunting adjective is that which Whitman applies to the American landscape—"the large unconscious scenery of my native land."

Switzerland is like a dinner served in the old fashioned way, with all the dishes put on the table at once. Every valley has its flowery mead, its "horrid" gorge, its chamois haunted peaks, its wood, and waterfall. In Italy, the effects are brought on in courses, and memory is thus able to differentiate the landscapes, even without the help of that touch of human individuality to which, after all, the best Italian scenery is but a setting.

The foregoing is certainly a delightful bit of description, and it is only one of the many that run through this book. Unless I am much out of my reckoning, "Italian Backgrounds" will be a more popular book than "Italian Gardens," even though the latter has Mr. Maxfield Parrish's exquisite illustrations, while the former is illustrated by the less inspired pencil of Mr. E. C. Peixotto.

A curious book will soon be published by Mr. John Lane. It is called "THE TWENTIETH CENTURY CHILD," and is by Mr. Edward H. Cooper. The author is a great lover of children, and he has apparently given much time to the study of their peculiarities; but he does not come to any particularly important conclusion concerning them.

Without putting forward his own experiences as typical, Mr. Cooper says:

"I suppose no one is concerned to deny that two healthy, intelligent children can distribute attentions which will furnish most ample employment for a mother, governess, nurse, and nursery maid, and that an average woman who is occupied with scientific work, political juggling, literary undertakings, charitable management, and a host of social duties besides, with an occasional nervous breakdown to complicate matters, cannot possibly give proper attention to these children. If she is extremely fond of them she will give up a portion of her work or pleasure for their benefit; but if she prefers her political salon, novel writing, charity committees, Ascot, Henley, Goodwood, Scotch shooting box, yachting trips, and month at Monte Carlo, I cannot conceive why she, any more than her husband, should abandon these in order to give the children their bible lesson or see that their rice puddings are properly cooked."

In a chapter on "Prayers" he tells of two American friends of his, aged 10 and 11, who say their prayers regularly every night and morning, and learn hymns and texts by the yard, but play the most diabolical tricks on one another while so engaged. "The boys' prayers are perfectly serious and real, and God's presence is equally real, for on one occasion when his sister was indulging in the nefarious practice of beating his bare upturned feet with a hair brush, he apologized to heaven seriously and soberly: 'Excuse me, dear Lord, for a moment, while I get up and knock the stuffing out of Nellie'—before he proceeded to rise from his knees and chastise the offender."

He tells of an 8 year old child who was angry at being compelled to pray for the Boer wounded as well as the English during the late war. Her usual war prayer was a bellicose affair: "Bless our dear, beautiful soldiers, and our darling sailors, and don't let any of them get hurt, and make them well soon if they must be, and send all the Boers to hell." To this her guardian commanded that there should be added a petition for the Boer wounded. Under severe compulsion she added the required words, but a bystander overheard a soft whisper at the end of the prayer: "Never mind about the Boers."

Mr. Cooper arrives at the conclusion that "punishment is only a valuable part of the education of children when wielded by a perfectly just guardian who is prepared to go all lengths in using it. If the child's naughtiness has no limits and your punishments have, a small sinner will realize this fact quite as soon as the judge, and, having reached your limits, will proceed to enjoy himself. There will always indeed rest a certain doubt as to the power of the Deity to interfere with a decisive stroke. "If God wanted me to be good and I wouldn't be good, which would win?" is an eternal nursery problem.

Mothers will read this book with a good deal of interest, I dare say, and fathers ought to, but they won't.

What Mr. Cooper has to say about children is truer than what he has to say about literature. He does not like "Alice in Wonderland" and "Through a Looking Glass" and does not think that children do. Here he makes the mistake of his life, for Lewis Carroll's books are literature and children love them.

JEANNETTE L. GILDER.

SOME OF THE LATE NOVELS.

Reviewed by Ella W. Peattie.

EDWARD UFFINGTON VALENTINE will be remembered well by his "Ship of Silence," which was a novel out of the common. He has followed it with a second novel, "HECLA SANDWITH." The story also is above the average. It is the tale of a successful Quaker family of Pennsylvania in the middle part of the last century, when the iron of the rich earth of Pennsylvania was mined and smelted in primitive ways. A strong picture is drawn of the life of the community—the rigorous, prosperous Quakers, the rivalry of the austere Scotch-Irish Presbyterians, the mining population, living under feudal conditions which protected them as the present individualistic life cannot possibly do, the inevitable idiots, drunkards, visionaries, tyrants, and good angels of such a community, and the strong prejudices and passions of them all.

Mr. Valentine is of those who take their calling as novelists with a sense of seriousness and dignity, who are naturalists in their treatment of things, but idealists in their thought. He knows that a story is not, in the strongest sense, action, but character, and he has followed the ideas of the best and most enduring writers of fiction in conforming to this idea.

Hecla Sandwith, the heroine of the novel, is a sort of Galatea, who remains in the marble till sorrow—not the kiss of joy—awakens her from her sculptured sleep. The idea is good. And the book is of a high order. (Bobbs-Merrill Co.)

"BILLY DUANE," by Frances Aymar Mathews, the author of "Pretty Peggy" and "My Lady Peggy Goes to Town," is a story of the sort which causes the judicious to inveigh against novel reading. Billy Duane is supposed to be the hero. He is said to be high born, with social position and charm of manner. He is presently—no one knows why—made mayor of New York, though his political campaign is shrouded in mistiness, and the reader never attains to real belief in it. His wife is a sensitive, capricious woman, who is under the impression that her husband does not love her. He, indeed, entertains a similar notion concerning his wife. They play at cross purposes through the entire novel. The unsavory past of the man is uncovered, and the wife, with abnegation, conveys his son, born of a Syrian dancer, to a church school in Canada, hiding her disinterested act from her husband, whom she adores even more madly as she finds more to his discredit. She herself has a regrettable but not criminal affair with a Hungarian—no, a French—pianist. But her husband also grows more enchanted as he learns of his wife's weakness. Jealousy on the part of each accentuates the love which had, at the beginning of marriage, been lukewarm. The nauseated reader discovers, at the end, that the pair is reunited—and trusts to good fortune to have them take a long second wedding journey into some picturesque but fever haunted land! No unusual literary ability justifies the foolishness of the tale. (Dodd, Mead & Co.)

"THE BANDELERO," by Paul Gwynne, is a veritable Arabian Nights tale. It is located in Sevilla and has for its chief characters a marques de Bazan, lineal descendant of a kingly line, and a frightful enemy, who appears now as patriot, now as highwayman, and who for years inflicts upon the marques horrible punishments in retaliation for a great wrong done him by the noble. Chief of these inflictions is the kidnaping of the marques' only heir and his installation in the house of some farmers, where a pretty comedy is enacted, which may have had its remote suggestion in "The Winter's Tale."

It would be too much of an undertaking to follow this romantic story through its many vicissitudes. Something happens on every page, and it always happens delightfully. The remote air of romance is well sustained, so that the reader is not unduly distressed at the sorrows of De Bazan nor shocked at the appalling forfeits he is made to pay in the game of life. When he is forced to carry a corpse at night over a mountain pass it interests in the same way that "The Story of the Black Dwarf" does.

The end approaches magnificence. The only trouble is that the paste of the jewels and the cotton back of the velvet obtrude themselves. But one can put up with that without complaint in really good melodrama. And the word, mind you, is not used here opprobriously. (Dodd, Mead & Co.)

"THE PLUM TREE," by David Graham Phillips, is, like "The Slaves of Success," a direct, disillusioning story of contemporary politics. In this case the form of the tale is autobiographical, the author purporting to make confession of the means by which he arose to his senatorial position. He started out with self-respect, with good ideals, and an inclination toward honesty. But poverty brought its pressure upon him, and he was obsessed to attain the position which his mother's overfond ambition considered his due. The result was to make a skillful politician and an unscrupulous man out of him.

The moral structure of the hero is so undermined by his compromises with evil that he becomes false to the women in whose confidence he had his only happiness. The author seems not to have been profoundly in love with his hero, whom he has made more realistic than engaging. The end is not of inspiring quality, since the hero turns virtuous after he has reaped all the honors that successful political brigandage can give. And he shows, so far as can be observed, no desire to relinquish these benefits. The delineation of political methods appears to be good—that is to say, bad. (Bobbs-Merrill company.)

ELLA W. PEATTIE.

ROMANCE OF A HOUSE PARTY.

"Two of the Guests," by Kate Gertrude Prindiville, a Pretty Love Story.

"TWO OF THE GUESTS" is the awkward title of a pretty little love story told by Kate Gertrude Prindiville, and published by James Pott & Co., New York. It is told in a series of letters written by the guests at a house party to friends at home. The epistolary form of fiction is not easy to handle. They do that better in France, but as the theme is the simplest of love tales the author here carries it off quite well.

If the story was not so slight it might be said that there was too much similarity in the style of the correspondence of so many different people, but as the book will be read for the love interest this does not so much matter.

The letters of the lovers seem genuine, and no one can read the book without being impressed by the sweet and wholesome characters of the writers. There is much more real romance in the little volume than in half the turgid novels of the day.

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Capt. Thomas Buckingham certainly has the gift of gab and his companions on those memorable voyages have the same ability to talk. Their adventures are curious enough and humorous, but half the charm is in the whimsical language in which they are related, the unusual choice of words, and the quizzical metaphors employed. In a degree this is the same quality which lends charm to the tales of "O. Henry" and Rex Beach. It is impossible to reproduce it or to give the reader an adequate idea of its contagiousness.

The stories are of varying merit, but the whole book is enjoyable, and it is hard to choose a favorite. The book is an enemy to sleep and to labor. (Henry Holt & Co., New York.)

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COLTS DEFEATED IN COLD CONTEST.

Cincinnati Wins Second Game at West Side Grounds by Score of 5 to 2.

MISTAKES PROVE COSTLY.

Selee's Players Put Up Poor Exhibition; Chech Outpitches Carl Lundgren.

It was a fearful and wonderful exhibition the Colts gave the small crowd of candidates for Kankakee who braved yesterday's nor'easter to see the second game of the series with Cincinnati. The score was 5 to 2 in the reds' favor and each of Cincinnati's quintet of runs was contributed by the bad baseball of the locals.

Under the conditions of frigidity and gustiness mechanical mistakes could be forgiven freely, for fingers were numbed and fly balls were uncertain, but it was not cold enough to freeze thinking paraphernalia into the comatose state indicated by some of the misdeeds of which the Colts were guilty. Perhaps the previous day's rest gummed up some of the wheels.

Cincinnati's men didn't want to play the game at all. Manager Kelley and Secretary Bancroft were unanimous in favor of postponing it until the open dates in June, and Manager Selee was not eager to play, but there was no excuse to be found. The grounds were in fine condition after the storm and to call off the game because of cold weather would have created amusement, considering the conditions under which previous games have been played in both leagues this season. But the visitors did not mind the cold after they were started and Kelley was glad the game was pulled off, because the reds needed a victory or two pretty badly to keep Gerry Hermann from heart failure, and also because the young man named Chech was able to demonstrate that he can go some for nine innings as well as the shorter distances he has been asked to pitch when others were batted out of the games.

Chech Outpitches Lundgren.

The former St. Paul star was as cool as the weather would permit all the way and with perfect support would have come pretty near shutting out the Colts. Lundgren would have done the same to the reds with the same kind of backing, but Chech outpitched "Lundy" at that, for the visitor gave only two passes, while Lundgren issued five, including a couple of batters hit.

Tinker, Evers, and McCarthy were almost equally to blame for the disgraces of the day. Tinker was chiefly responsible for the first run of the game by playing a warm grounder from Sebring so badly that it got away from him. In the next round Evers bobbled an easy chance to retire the side and it cost two more runs. But the thing which drove the shivering fans to rooting the other way happened in the sixth, when the reds were handed their final pair of runs. Odwell was at second and Phelps at first, with two out, having gained those vantage points by getting in the way of Lundgren's wide ones. Chech raised a little fly, which should have been eaten up by McCarthy, but Tinker started after it and McCarthy passed it up. Joe lost sight of the ball over his head and passed it up to Jack, who was standing still some distance in the background. The ball tapped the earth in safety and Odwell scored, while Phelps jumped around to third. Tinker then picked up the ball and, with his back to the plate, started an argument with McCarthy over the fooble. Phelps grasped the opportunity and meandered home with another unnecessary run. What Selee said to somebody when the players reached the bench made them all forget the cold, apparently, for they played baseball for the rest of the game. Too late!

Great Batting by Sebring.

The bright side of the game was furnished by the visitors and particularly by Sebring, the right gardener, who wasn't good enough for B. Dreyfuss. Two singles, a three bagger, and a double in five chances made a good day's work for Sebring, but he was not satisfied with that. In addition he cut a run off at the plate by a right smart throw from deep field, and, better than that, nailed a liner from Kling's bat which looked to be a sure triple. The ball was hit "way to his right on a line, but Sebring dashed across and in an awkward position arrested the ball in midair.

Chicago manufactured one run in the third. Evers beat out a sharp hit to Bridwell, who made a fine stop of it, but had to throw while on his knees and missed his man. Kling fanned and Lundgren raised a fly for Sebring, who muffed it squarely, and in his surprise threw too badly to second to force Evers there. Casey was a victim, but Maloney rapped a clean one to right, scoring Evers. When Lundgren tried to follow along from second Sebring nailed him by a corking throw. In the eighth Casey landed a scratch three bagger against Sebring's shins and scored on Maloney's third single. Score:

CINCINNATI.

	AB	R	BH	TB	BB	SH	SB	PO	A	E
Hagerma, 2b	4	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	6	0
Dolan, lb	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0
Seymour, cf	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Sebring, rf	4	2	3	3	0	0	0	2	1	0
Odwell, lf	3	1	1	1	1	0	0	3	1	0
Bridwell, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0
Corcoran, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0
Phelps, c	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	12	1	0
Chech, p	4	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	35	5	9	13	2	0	1	37	16	0

CHICAGO.

	AB	R	BH	TB	BB	SH	SB	PO	A	E
Casey, 2b	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	2	3	0
Maloney, rf	4	1	2	3	0	0	0	3	0	0
Barry, 1b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	1	0
McCarthy, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Slagle, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Tinker, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0
Evers, 2b	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	3	1
Kling, c	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	2	0
Lundgren, p	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	32	2	5	6	2	0	0	27	16	1

Cincinnati	0	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	5
Chicago	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2

Two base hit—Sebring. Three base hits—Sebring, Casey. Struck out—By Lundgren: Dolan, Seymour, Odwell; by Chech: Kling. Double play—Chech-Corcoran-Dolan. On bases—Cincinnati, 10; Chicago, 5. Hit by pitcher—Odwell, Phelps. Time, 1:36. Umpire—O'Day. Attendance—1,900.

Notes of the Colts' Game.

The spit ball had a day's vacation, and needed it badly.

Last game of the series today. Pittsburg on Sunday.

Maloney made half of Chicago's hits off Chech. Casey, Slagle, and Evers made the other half.

Sebring tore off a three bagger past McCarthy in the seventh with only one out, but was cut off at home when Odwell soaked one at Evers' feet.

Chech stopped what looked like a promising batting rally in the eighth, by grabbing Barry's sharp hit and doubling him up with Maloney by way of second base.

Probably it will be Pfeffer against Overall on the slab today, although Manager Selee may work Brown, Chicago's star in the giant youngsters from Illinois and California should prove interesting.

Sebring was trying for another catch, as sensational as the one he made off Kling's liner, when he went after Casey's hot drive in the eighth, but he couldn't quite get to it, and, in trying to scoop the ball, got it on the shin. And Casey got three bases.

Releases in National League.

New York, April 21.—President Pulliam of the National league issued the following today: Released—By Boston (unconditionally), D. G. Cooley; by New York, William R. Marshall to Minneapolis; by Pittsburg, C. Holmes to Cedar Rapids, Ia., and Clyde Goodwin to Indianapolis. Terms accepted—By Boston, terms of Victor G. Willis.

Death of Baseball Official.

Boston, Mass., April 21.—A dispatch from New York announces the death of William H. Rogers, business manager of the Boston National league club. He was 45 years of age.

To Play at Brooklyn Tomorrow.

New York, April 21.—It was announced today that the Brooklyn and Boston National league teams will play on Sunday.

Local Games Today.

St. Ignatius college vs. De La Salle Institute, at latter's grounds.

Oak Park High school vs. River Forest, at River Forest.

Thistles vs. R. E. Williams, at Forty-seventh avenue and Lake street.

Marquettes vs. Acorns, at Forty-ninth avenue and Superior street.

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New York	3	2	.600	New York	3	1	.750
Washington	3	3	.500	Chicago	3	3	.500
Cleveland	1	1	.500	Boston	3	3	.500
Detroit	1	1	.500	St. Louis	2	3	.400
St. Louis	2	3	.400	Cincinnati	2	4	.333
Boston	0	6	.000	Brooklyn	1	6	.143

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Milwaukee	1	0	1.000	St. Paul	1	1	.500
Columbus	1	0	1.000	Indianapolis	0	1	.000
Kansas City	1	0	1.000	Minneapolis	0	1	.000
Louisville	1	1	.500	Toledo	0	1	.000

Yesterday's Results.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Philadelphia, 5; Boston, 4.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Cincinnati, 5; Chicago, 2.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
Louisville, 1; St. Paul, 1 [seven innings].

Games Today.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Cincinnati at Chicago.
New York at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Pittsburg.
Boston at Brooklyn.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Chicago at Detroit.
Cleveland at St. Louis.
Washington at New York.
Philadelphia at Boston.

CHANCE FOR SOX TODAY.

WEATHER CLEARS IN DETROIT AND LOOKS LIKE GAME.

"Doc" White Carded to Pitch Against Tigers, and Manager Jones Expects to Even Up on Half the Series in Michigan — Killian Is Armour's Choice to Tame the Chicagoans, but Has Had Little Practice Lately—Players Have a Dull Day.

Detroit, Mich., April 21.—[Special.]—After two days of idleness the White Sox may have another chance at the Detroit club tomorrow and will make a determined effort to even up on the half of the series that will be played.

The storm of the last two days broke late this afternoon and clear and cool weather, with a pretty well dried field, is the outlook for tomorrow. It is expected the game will be a battle of left handers, as Manager Jones plans to use White, while Manager Armour will send in Killian, should the latter look all right when he warms up.

The Detroit left hander has not pitched a ball to a batter in two weeks, and is likely to be a little wild, giving Chicago a fine chance, if White is as effective against the Tigers as he usually is.

An idle day was the lot of the White Sox. The weather penning them in their hotel until towards supper. Good Friday kept some of the players away from the theater at night, but most of them were members of the invitation box party.

ATHLETICS BEAT CHAMPIONS.

Before Crowd of 18,000 People Mack's Men Defeat Boston in Opening Game at Hub, 5 to 4.

Boston, Mass., April 21.—In the presence of more than 18,000 people, Boston today lost the opening game in this city. After apparently losing the game through errors and Coakley's wildness, the visitors batted in five runs and won the game in the eighth inning. Up to then Gibson was invincible, holding Philadelphia to a lone hit and striking out eleven men. Waddell, who succeeded Coakley in the box for the athletics, struck out five of the six men who faced him. Score:

Philadelp'a.	R	H	P	A	E	Boston.	R	H	P	A	E
Hartsel, cf	1	1	2	0	0	Jurkett, lf	1	1	1	0	0
Hoffman, lf	1	1	1	0	0	Parent, ss	0	1	2	2	0
Davis, 1b	1	1	8	0	0	Selbach, cf	1	0	2	0	0
Orwn, rf	0	0	1	0	0	Stahl, rf	0	0	1	0	0
Seybold, rf	0	1	3	0	0	Freeman, rf	0	2	1	0	0
Murphy, 2b	0	0	1	4	0	Lachance, 1b	0	0	9	0	0
Knight, ss	0	0	1	2	0	Collins, 2b	0	1	1	2	0
Powers, c	0	1	5	1	0	Farrell, c	0	1	2	5	0
Schreck, c	0	0	5	0	0	McGovern, c	0	0	0	0	0
Coakley, p	0	0	0	1	0	Gibson, p	0	0	0	4	0
Waddell, p	0	0	0	1	0						
Totals	3	5	27	9	2	Totals	4	6	27	13	1

Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0—5
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0—4

Two base hit—Knight. Three base hit—Hoffman. Sacrifice hit—Lachance. Stolen bases—Parent, Collins, Davis. Double play—Collins, Lachance. Bases on balls—Off Gibson, 2; off Coakley, 4. Hit by pitched ball—By Gibson, 1. Struck out—By Gibson, 11; by Coakley, 5; by Waddell, 5. Wild pitches—Coakley. Hits—Off Coakley, six in seven innings. Time—2:21. Umpire—O'Loughlin. Attendance—18,344.

TROUBLE AT NEW YORK OPENING

Heavy Rain Storm Stops Game Between Highlanders and Senators—Spectators Almost in a Riot.

New York, April 21.—A terrific thunder and rain storm broke over American league park, on Washington heights, this afternoon and spoiled what promised to be an interesting ball game, the initial one of the season, between the Washington and New York teams. Nearly 20,000 persons were present.

When the storm broke, before the third inning, the spectators wildly demanded that the game be called, and a riot seemed imminent. The police were then instructed to announce that there would be no admission charged for the game tomorrow between the same clubs. The game was not called until after the opening of the final half of the fourth inning.

The crowd showed its displeasure at the delay in calling the game by cheering the visiting team when it knocked out three runs off Chesbro's pitching in the fourth inning, making the score 3 to 1 in favor of Washington, which, under the rules, does not count in the championship series.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 21.—The opening game of the National league season here today was prevented by rain. Up to within fifteen minutes of the time for play the weather was perfect, but about 3:15 o'clock a heavy wind and rain storm came up and continued for twenty minutes. The field was thoroughly soaked by the heavy downpour, but as there were 17,582 spectators present, both Manager McGraw of New York and Manager Duffy of Philadelphia decided to attempt a game.

The infield was mopped and sawdust was placed around the bases. The sun came out for a few minutes, but rain fell almost as soon as the game was started. Before the game the two teams marched across the field headed by a band and raised a flag. The first ball was thrown from the pavilion by Mayor Weaver. President Pulliam of the National league was present. New York scored four runs in its half of the first inning and the locals had two in the third when rain stopped play. At the end of a half hour the rain ceased, but the ground was unfit to play upon and the game was called.

DEFEAT PLEASES PURPLE FANS.

Score of 5 to 0, Made by Illinois Against Northwestern, Regarded as Encouraging by Methodists.

Despite the fact that Illinois won from Northwestern 5 to 0 yesterday the purple fans were more than pleased at the showing of the Evanstonians in the opening game with a conference team at Ravinia park.

Both pitchers were in good form. Stanton of Northwestern surprised his teammates by holding Illinois to five hits, although this record was due as much to the weakness of his opponents as to his own prowess. Bushnell struck out twelve purple players, showing up their weakness with the stick. Score:

Illinois.	R	H	P	A	E	N'western.	R	H	P	A	E
Brooks, 2b	0	1	1	3	0	Burke, cf	0	0	0	0	0
Dammitz, rf	1	2	3	0	1	W'berger, 2b	0	1	2	3	0
Varsity, 3b	1	1	1	0	0	Hotheb, lf	0	1	2	0	0
Rothgeb, cf	2	1	1	0	0	Dubois, 3b	0	1	1	2	0
Dockey, ss	0	0	1	1	0	Eller, lf	0	0	0	0	0
Taylor, 1f	1	0	1	0	0	Leisch'n, rf	0	0	0	0	0
Shober, 1b	0	0	6	0	0	Phalen, c	0	0	2	1	0
Slocum, c	0	0	15	4	0	Stanton, p	0	0	1	6	1
Bushnell, p	0	0	1	0	0	Wilkins'n, ss	0	0	1	0	2
Totals	5	5	27	9	2	Totals	0	4	24	15	4

Illinois	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	1	0—5
Northwestern	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Three base hit—Rothgeb. Sacrifice hit—Burke. Stolen bases—Taylor, Brooks, Dammitz, Rothgeb. Struck out—By Bushnell, 12; by Stanton, 3. Bases on balls—Off Bushnell, 4; off Stanton, 3. Double plays—Stanton-Weinberger. Hit by pitcher—Rothgeb, Shober. Wild pitch—Bushnell. Passed ball—Phalen. Time—2:10. Umpire—Tindall.

Chicago and Northwestern Today.

Chicago and Northwestern baseball nines will play their first game of the season today on the latter's grounds at Ravinia park. Eckersall, although still lame, will play for the maroon.

In the Southern League.

At Memphis—Memphis, 2; Little Rock, 1.

Miscellaneous Games.

Beloit college, 4; Beloit association, 2.
Eureka college, 12; Normal university, 2.
Michigan, 9; Michigan Agricultural, 3.
Waterloo, 10; Cedar Rapids, 4.
Wabash, 18; Hanover, 1.
Princeton, 11; Johns Hopkins, 4.

Rain Prevents Many Games.

The Chicago and Detroit, New York and Washington, and St. Louis and Cleveland games in the American league, the Philadelphia and New York Pittsburg and St. Louis, and Brooklyn games in the National, and three games in the American association were postponed on account of rain.

COACH STAGG IS HOME FROM SOUTH

Midway Man Returns in Improved Health—Plans for Big Relay Meet.

TRYOUT ON FOR TODAY.

Athletes Will Compete for Places on Team for the Pennsylvania Games.

Coach A. Alonzo Stagg of the University of Chicago arrived home from Hot Springs at 9:30 o'clock last night. His homecoming was quiet. There was no demonstration when he alighted at the Illinois Central station at Sixty-third street. Mrs. Stagg, with a sleepy Alonzo Jr., Trainer Snyder of the maroons, former Capt. Speik of the football team, and a few newspaper reporters were the only persons who awaited the coach's coming. The grand reception planned had fallen through, for Coach Stagg's train was just eleven hours behind time.

In the meanwhile the athletes who had intended yelling out their lungs in Stagg's honor were sound asleep in bed, resting for the morrow, when they should compete in the first tryout of the spring season.

The veteran trainer of men of the Midway university looked in better health than when he was in Chicago a month and a half ago. His step was more brisk, and he stated that his rheumatism had left him entirely.

"I have never been so glad to get any place as I am to get back to Chicago," he said. "I am feeling fine. My rheumatism is all gone, and the only trouble I now have is the after effects of the strain I received last summer when I tried to jump over a ditch and fell. I shall begin work immediately, and will direct the work of the track and baseball teams for the rest of the season.

Will See Track Men Work.

This afternoon Coach Stagg will have an opportunity to see his track men work, at the tryout for the team that will represent Chicago at the Pennsylvania relay games at Philadelphia next Saturday. Every event common to all track meets will be contested except the 220 yard dash and the low hurdles. The greatest interest is centered in the contest for places on the relay team, however, in which Groman, Quigley, Barker, Blair, Lightbody, and possibly Taylor, will compete. The latter, however, is in poor condition, owing to a cold which has been bothering him for the last two weeks. The entries for the maroon events are:

100 yard dash—Hogenson, Hanmore, Blair.
220 yard run—Parkinson.
Mile run—Lightbody, Scheid, A. E. Matthews, W. G. Matthews, Krueger.
Two mile run—W. G. Matthews, R. E. Matthews, Lyon.
120 yard hurdles—Catlin, McAvoy.
Pole vault—Wilkins, Schobinger, Clark.
Broad jump—Friend, Brown, Schobinger, Wilkins, Ferriss.
Shot put—Gale, Parry, Russell.
Hammer throw—Parry, Russell.
Discus—Parry, Russell, Speik.
Relay—Groman, Quigley, Blair, Lightbody, Barker.

Interest in School Trials.

There is much interest, also, in the contest which is to decide the team that will represent western secondary schools in the Pennsylvania meet, which is to be held in conjunction with the varsity tryout. Yesterday six schools had sent in their entries, the high school from Calumet, in northern Michigan, being the latest addition to the list. In addition to those who have sent their entries, several other schools, notably Culver academy, Lewis institute, and North Division, are expected to enter at the last minute. The teams that have been entered are:

Calumet, Mich.—McKinnon, Ettinger, Sincock, Curtis.
Morgan Park—Bergquist, Stevens, Smith, Long, Joldersma, Reed.
Hyde Park—Cunningham, Way, Davis, Hutchinson, Favorite.
Englewood—White, Gustafson, Fagan, O'Brien, Levinson.
Joliet—McNally, Eldred, Palmer, Kahn, Bannon, Kahn, Bannon.
Thornton township—J. Powers, W. Powers, Day, Franklin, Pettigrew.
Wendell Phillips—Borden, Bremer, Reilly, Burke, Powell, Pack, Paine.

Abingdon Wins Track Meet.

Galesburg, Ill., April 21.—[Special.]—The athletic meet here today between the high school teams of Galesburg, Abingdon, Galva, and Knoxville was won by Abingdon by the following score: Abingdon, 42; Galesburg, 39; Galva, 21; Knoxville, 24.

Hyde Park H. S., 29; Dwight, 18.

Dwight, Ill., April 21.—The girls' five from the Hyde Park High school defeated the girls of the Dwight High school at basketball here today by a score of 29 to 18. Lineup:

Hyde Park.	Pos.	Dwight.
Ryan, Wine	Right forward	Dwight [18].
Ranberg	Right forward	Romberger
Hartt	Left forward	Green
Brunk	Center	Brown
Evans	Right guard	Runnels
McCracken	Left guard	Fisk

Goals from field—Hartt, 2; Brunk, 3; Romberger, 2. Free throws—Brunk, 11; Brown, 14.

ELLISON AND MAYBERRY SPLIT.

Owner and Trainer Quarrel Over Sale of Yankee Consul to Bub May for $20,000.

St. Louis, Mo., April 21.—[Special.]—J. P. Mayberry, who has been training the horses of C. R. Ellison, the Chicago horseman, for several years, has severed his connection with that stable. It is said the chief difference between Ellison and Mayberry arose over the sale by Ellison of the 2 year old, Yankee Consul, to Bub May recently for $20,000. May and Mayberry are close friends, and Mayberry now declares that Ellison "gold bricked" May in making the deal.

Visalia and Other Horses Perish.

Frankfort, Ky., April 21.—Fourteen horses, among them Visalia, entered in the Lexington, Ky., Futurity, perished in flames which early today destroyed the barns of the Frankfort Driving association here. Loss is fixed at $10,000.

HERRERA WINNER OVER DALY.

Mexican Awarded the Decision Over the Easterner After Fifteen Fast Rounds at Baltimore.

Baltimore, Md., April 21.—[Special.]—Aurelia Herrera of Mexico was awarded the decision over Tommy Daly of Brooklyn tonight after fifteen rounds of fast fighting before the Eureka Athletic club. The contest was one of the best seen in the city for some time. Herrera was by far the cleverer, and Daly found considerable difficulty in landing effectively. Daly also did some clever blocking and ducking.

Daly started out like a whirlwind, and for the first two rounds forced matters. In the third round the Mexican assumed the aggressive, and played left for the body and right for the face. Daly tried hard to cross his right to the jaw, but Herrera was always on the lookout. Daly then changed tactics, and played left for jaw and right for the stomach. In this he was more successful, and in the fifth round badly jolted his opponent with right and left to the head.

In the tenth round Herrera's right hand hook to the jaw sent Daly to the floor. At the tap of the bell at the end of the fifteenth round both men were fighting furiously, and Herrera was awarded the decision on points.

Caponi Defeats Curtis.

Kenosha, Wis., April 21.—[Special.]—In the presence of 300 sports at Central park, a resort four miles north of Kenosha, Tony Caponi of Chicago won a six round fight from Joe Curtin of Chicago. The fighting was all in favor of Caponi from the beginning. Curtin put up a game battle, but he was driven to his corner repeatedly, and the gong saved him in three rounds. In the preliminaries young Fitzgerald of Milwaukee and Gene McGovern of Milwaukee fought a draw, and Frank Connelly of Kenosha got a decision over Kid Herts of Kenosha.

O'Brien Is Overweight.

Columbus, Ind., April 21.—[Special.]—Jack O'Brien of Philadelphia, who is training here for his fight with Hugo Kelley at Indianapolis, is having trouble. He must enter the ring at 158 pounds and he now weighs 163, so he has but five days in which to reduce.

To Wrestle at Winona.

Winona, Minn., April 21.—[Special.]—Tommy Norris of California and Lee Clayton have been matched for a catch as catch can contest in the opera house here April 26.

Results at Billiard Halls.

At Foley's—Fay won from Petrie at pool, 100 to 78.

At Sheafer's—Tinker [130] defeated Quinn [120] by 130 to 119.

At Mussey's—Wadsworth and Thomas defeated Pfahler and Butler at three cushions, 44 to 32. Jaysper and McKeeby vs. Bell and Short tonight.

PLATERS HAVE A TURN.

CHEAPER CLASS OF HORSES RACES AT NASHVILLE.

Absence of Stake Event Results in a Lighter Attendance than Usual, and Betting Also Falls Off—Steeplechase Proves to Be Feature, Furnishing a Good Contest, in Which the Winner Turns Up in Mr. Rose—Martin Brady, the Favorite, Disappoints.

Nashville, Tenn., April 21.—[Special.]—The absence of a stake event on the program at Cumberland park today and a card of races that was given over entirely to selling platers and horses that had never won a race made the attendance look extremely light as compared with the big crowd yesterday. The betting, too, was light, and it is likely that some of the bookmakers will pack up and go to Kansas City after tomorrow.

The steeplechase over the short course was the feature, and furnished a good contest for half of the journey and the defeat of the favorite, Martin Brady, which was looked upon as one of the certainties of the day. Mr. Rose was the winner, and he raced Martin off his feet and won as he pleased. Bank Holiday and Beana finishing second and third respectively.

The Gerst family did well in the four and one-half furlongs event for maiden 2 year olds, running one, two, three. Romola and Thistle, owned by William Gerst, the local turfman, got first and second money, and Polly Prim, carrying the colors of Mr. Gerst's son-in-law, George Holle, finished third.

Nashville Summaries April 21.

First race, 11-16 mile—Varieties, 101 pounds [Wishard], 3 to 1, won; Ester Joy, 100 [Struebel], 7 to 1, second; Wexford, 106 [Noonan], 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:11⅘. Judge Nolan, Helena W., Rinwitch, The Waitress, Dorothy Dodd, Georgia Carter, Si Bonnie, and Game Chicken ran.

Second race, steeplechase, short course—Mr. Rose, 150 pounds [D. Archibald], 9 to 2, won; Bank Holiday, 125 [Pierce], 9 to 1, second; Beana, 145 [Ryan], 8 to 1, third. Time, 3:11⅘. Savond, Martin Brady, and Ontonagon ran. Van Tassell fell. Senator Matts lost rider.

Third race, 1 mile, selling—Redman, 102 pounds [Wishard], 12 to 1, won; John Mayo, 107 [F. Smith], 9 to 1, second; Glendon, 108 [J. Conway], 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:24. Jigger, Blue Grass Girl, Magnolia, Saddusee, and Princess Olga ran.

ENTRIES.

First race, 11-16 mile, selling—To San, 104 pounds; June Collins, Sadducee, Meritage, 103; Blytheness, 102; Collector, 100; Elsasta, 98; Florence Ponse, Basil, 95; Pilia, 90; Miss Gum, 88; Halcyon, Dayre, 85.

Second race, ½ mile—Gasoneke, 115 pounds; Darling, Joe Coyne, Chauncey Olcott, Goldmate, Four in Hand, 113; Shirtail, Country Lad, Pied Piper, 110.

Third race, 1 1-16 miles, Duncan hotel handicap—Brunswicks, 3 pounds; Coruscate, 107; Bugler, 100; Miss Doyle, 96.

Fourth race, 6-16 mile—Belle Meade stakes—Inspector Girl, Chrysia, 115 pounds; Miss Margo, Tydollor, Merely Mary Ann, Skeptical, Lady Carol, Leta Duffy, Lizzie McLean, La Gloria, 110.

Fifth race, 1¼ miles, selling—Simplicio, 105 pounds; Jordan, 104; Brooklyn, 100; Lilia Noel, 91; Juba, 90; Lou M., 85.

Sixth race, 11-16 mile, selling—Chambles, 116 pounds; Laura Hunter, 105; Orchid, Glad Hand, 103; Zinda, 102; Chanterelle, 101; Orderly, 100; Benton, 90; Clifton Boy, 98; Gasconne, Norwood Ohio, 94; La Pucelle, 93.

RACING AT KANSAS CITY TODAY.

Spring Meeting of Jockey Club Will Open with Derby as Feature—Conditions Are Favorable.

Kansas City, Mo., April 21.—The spring meeting of the Kansas City Jockey club will begin at Linwood park under most favorable conditions. The Kansas City Derby at one and one-quarter miles, with $5,000 in added money, will be the feature event of the opening day.

Seven horses are entered for the Derby, and it is probable that one or two more will be entered before post time. It is expected Devout will come in at the last minute, though Owner Dunne tonight refused to say he would race. John Smulski and Waterside are the popular choices for the prize. They arrived at the track today and were given their final preparation for the big race. They are in splendid condition and both gave impressive performances in their tryouts. It is said that Waterside will go to the post a favorite, but John Smulski, which raced here last year, will have a great following.

The track tonight is lightning fast, and the prospects for a fair day tomorrow are good. It was thought that owing to the late arrival of the horses from Memphis that the field tomorrow would be small, but barring the fifth race the nominations are liberal. The entries follow:

First race, 11-16 mile—Azelina, 87 pounds; Envoy, Councilman, 92; Gladsmile, 96; Hopeful Miss, 106; Clifton Forge, Croix d'Or, 111; Elliott, 119.

Second race, 1 mile, selling—Ida, 97 pounds; Lady Bobsela, 99; Grand Vitesse, 100; Tyron, Golden Mineral, Australina, 102; Ada N., 104.

Third race, ½ mile, 2 year olds—May Belle Clark, 102 pounds; Hark, Prince Glenn, 105; Harding Silk, Parvo, 106; Hadur, Filmnap, Armona II., 109.

Fourth race, 1¼ miles, the Kansas City Derby, $5,000 added—True Wine, 112 pounds; Drexel, Waterside, Ara, Roundelay, Bell Indian, 117; John Smulski, 122.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles—Alma Dufour, 96 pounds; Oncasta, Rough and Tumble, 101; Judge Himes, 107.

Sixth race, ¾ mile—Mercoes, 97 pounds; Virgie Withers, Graphite, Lydia Wrousman, Darius, 102; Chalk Hedrick, 104; Bryan, 107; Kernael, Recreo, 113; Fleetwood, 110.

FEATURE RACE TO DISHABILLE.

Bennett's Filly Gives Away Weight to Field and Wins Event at Fair Grounds.

St. Louis, Mo., April 21.—By winning the feature of today's card at the Fair Grounds Dishabille stamped herself as one of the best 3 year old fillies in the west. Bennett's filly gave weight to all her contenders, came from behind on turning for home, and ran six furlongs in 1:14 on a track fully three seconds slow. Favorites won a majority of the races. Summaries:

First race, ½ mile—Starling, 106 pounds [Rice], 11 to 5, won; Sarsaparilla, 4 to 1, second; Carrie Frances, 7 to 1, third. Time, :49 3-5.

Second race, ¾ mile—Bonebrake, 102 pounds [Preston], 30 to 1, won; Sorrel Top, 12 to 1, second; Hadrian, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:13 2-5.

Third race, ¾ mile—Bronze Wing, 110 pounds [Moriarity], 11 to 10, won; Censor, 8 to 1, second; Bandillo, 30 to 1, third. Time, 1:14 flat.

Fourth race, ¾ mile—Dishabille, 107 pounds [L. Wilson], 9 to 10, won; Pinkerton, 11 to 5, second; Mayor Johnson, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:14.

Fifth race, 1 mile—Broomhandle, 98 pounds [Schaffner], 1 to 3, won; Canyon, 20 to 1, second; Miss Mae Daly, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:42 2-5.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles—Tristram Shandy, 101 pounds [L. Williams], 3 to 1, won; Behoove, 3 to 1, second; Tenzess, 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:51 3-5.

ENTRIES.

First race, ¾ mile—Annabelle Lee, 85 pounds; Bavarian, 97; Phenix Cottage, 92; Cardona, Kitty Harlan, 96; 104, Merritt, 98; Axiom, Tender Feet, Radium, Maj. Daniels, Shortcake, 101; Perenia, 104; Computation, Barkley, Aules, 106.

Second race, ½ mile—Lavenia Fisher, Marlacchi, Conde, 95 pounds; Jane Rachel, Balshot, Curiner, Miss Leeda, Judge Watkins, 100; Necromancer, Seventeen, Galmedo, Daizer, 103; Ramus, 108.

Third race, 11-16 mile—Fay Sharp, 84 pounds; Pontotoc, 91; Korean, Hocco, Allista, 96; Gayamerican, Hubbard, 98; Al Sctarlet, Jennie Hughes, 99; Marthus, Dusky, 101; Jake Ward, Mordella, 104; Erema, 107; One More, 109.

Fourth race, 1-16 mile, Woodlands trophy, $1,500 added—Frenchie's First, Ida Kearney, Pinta, Bartonville, 107 pounds; Fargo, Watchful, Holscher, 110; Bitter Brown, 115, Ala Russell, Meadow Breeze, Black Rose, 118; Dr. McCarty, William Moffitt, 118.

Fifth race, 11-16 mile—All Black, 90 pounds; Athalene, 99; Col. Preston, 105; Charlie Ward, Jim A. Long, W. P. Palmer, 101; Contentious, Our Lillie, 102; Bountiful, 103; Wounded Knee, 104; Rosecomb, 107; Velasquez, Pinta, Princess of Roscres, 109; Frank L. Perley, 110; Bensonhurst, 112.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Inspector Halpin, Platoon, 92 pounds; Stand Pat, Mary Glenn, Malaster, 99; Floral Wreath, Terra Firma, 109; Fireball, 110; Golden Rule, 111; Mansard, 116.

Seventh race, 5-16 mile—Dixie Land, 90 pounds; Amberita, 97; Maie Hanlon, Murmur, Caithness, 99; Lee King, Neversuch, 101; Royal Arma, 103; Velos, 105; Barca, 109; Water Cure, 113.

JAMES V. IS WINNER AT 1 TO 3.

Captures Second Race at Union Park Track—Four Favorites Reach the Wire First.

St. Louis, Mo., April 21.—James V., held at odds of 1 to 3, easily won the second race at the American Jockey club track today. Walter Douglas, Benmora, and Pathos were the other winning favorites. Lee Jackson, the jockey on Gavin C., the beaten 3 to 2 favorite in the last race, claim

HEDULES UBLISHED.

ntry Club An- l List of Events e Season.

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ighbors at the Burnside r Country club golfers e season this afternoon. scheduled, but a large is looked for, provided n enough. A card party ibhouse tonight. Presi- esterday announced the r the season as follows:

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Lacrosse Player.

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TRADE PROGRESS IS SEEN.

NEW REPORTS MORE DIVERSIFIED BUSINESS ACTIVITY.

New Demands Are Found to Be Well Sustained in the Chicago District, the Increased Volume Involving Employment of Additional Working Forces and Capital—Grain Marketing in Excess of Corresponding Week Last Year.

The weekly review of trade in the Chicago district, published by the R. G. Dun & Co. mercantile agency, will say

Reasonable progress has been made and current activity is more generally diversified. The increased volume involving the employment of additional working forces and capital. New demands are well sustained and heavier receipts of mine and forest products testify to expanded consumption of raw materials. Grain marketing was fully one-fifth in excess of that for the corresponding week last year and shipments almost trebled, the movement mainly being for domestic use. Prices of live stock and hides were liberal, packing proceeded vigorously, and the principal markets for foodstuffs exhibited further activity.

Railroad earnings continue gaining and reflect unusual current forwarding of factory and general merchandise. Iron and steel production is close to the limit of capacity in this district, shipbuilding and heavy construction are on a larger scale, and prices for all furnace, mill, and workshop supplies show firmness. Other favorable features are satisfactory dealings in the jobbing and retail branches, together with advices indicating that the agricultural conditions are excellent and country trading advancing.

More Cash Buying in Evidence.

Seasonable collections for both city and country are found reasonably prompt. Distant points report more cash buying than formerly. Demand for money was active for both commercial and investment purposes, considerable going into real estate and improvements, an evidence of confidence in the future course of business. Rail mills filled in the bookings for delivery next year. Structural shapes are in more demand, and sales of pig iron show that future needs are being projected by important interests. Receipts of lumber aggregated 43,268,000 feet, against 28,352,000 feet a year ago. Building permits were $1,803,100, against $300,300 in the same week last year.

Jobbing material of all kinds remained in strong request, and the lumber yards and saw mills increased shipments to outside points. Receipts of hides were 7,421,630 pounds, against 3,168,715 a year ago. Dealings in both hides and leather reached large proportions, prices being easily maintained. Boot and belting material were freely purchased. Manufacturers obtained additional contracts for footwear, harness, and trunks. Jobbing hardware, and electrical lines turned out more work than they did last month and steadily add to orders on hand.

Crop Conditions Influence Trading.

Grain receipts, 3,320,721 bushels, compare with 1,859,974 bushels last week and 2,168,467 bushels a year ago. The shipments were 1,182,132 bushels, against 4,768,925 bushels last week and 1,479,558 bushels a year ago. There was more steadiness in the demand for flour and dealings increased in wheat and coarse grains. Crop conditions influenced most of trade operations and realizing sales spread. Provisions were in good supply and orderly packing. Live stock receipts, 30,627 head, compared with 286,963 head for the corresponding week last year. The demand for cattle, for sheep and for hogs, but choice kinds were sought. Compared with the week previous a week ago cattle are slightly lower and lower quotations appear in the grades of provisions.

Bank clearings, $198,219,090, exceed those of the corresponding week last year by 13.3 per cent. Failures reported in the Chicago district were 29, against 25 last week and 21 a year ago.

Trade Reports Irregular.

New York, April 21.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

"Basic weather has tended to make trade more irregular, but on the whole the week's results were satisfactory. Early delays were followed by increased activity, particularly what might be termed Easter lines.

"Industrial activity expands, iron furnaces and steel mills maintaining their good record, textile plants securing larger orders, and footwear manufacturers are able to hold all prices without curtailing operations.

"Immigration for the last week was more than double that of the corresponding week last year. Transporting interests are able to handle the increased business with little confusion, railway earnings thus far reported for April exceeding last year's by 10.2 per cent. Foreign commerce at this port for the week showed a gain of $2,060,861 in value of merchandise exported, and imports were $4,049,922 larger than in the same week of 1904.

"Higher wage scales becoming effective on May 1 assure freedom from labor troubles at most furnaces, and there is little friction at the steel mills, but the industry will be interrupted unless iron ore is freely mined.

"Failures this week numbered 200 in the United States, against 241 last year, and 21 in Canada, compared with 12 a year ago."

Easter Business Good.

Bradstreets tomorrow will say: Unseasonable weather at the east retarded dry goods trade at retail, but later on a good Easter business was done. Wholesale trade in dry goods has been naturally quiet. Export inquiry for cotton is good, and many makers are sold ahead well into 1906. The wool market is quiet but firm as regards old supply of American wool. Foreign grades are, however, in good demand.

On the Pacific coast the outlook seems without a flaw. A heavy export trade with Asia is looked for on the coast this year.

Wheat, including flour, exports for the week ending April 20 are 1,242,267 bushels, against 1,232,301 last week, 1,645,428 this week last year, 3,885,542 in 1903, and 3,750,589 in 1902. From July 1 to date the exports are 51,-967,314 bushels, against 120,712,967 last year, 166,672,096 in 1903, and 206,033,241 in 1902. Corn exports for the week are 2,232,694 bushels, against 2,230,767 last week, 626,990 a year ago, 1,460,906 in 1903, and 376,186 in 1902. From July 1 to date the exports of corn are 85,377,645 bushels, against 48,745,306 in 1904, 82,104,708 in 1903, and 23,905,972 in 1902.

Bank Clearings of Week.

The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended April 20 with percentage of increase and decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year:

		Perct. Incr.	Perct. Decr.
New York	$2,189,946,295	97.3	....
Chicago	198,121,694	14.2	....
Boston	171,153,464	27.6	....
Philadelphia	142,852,466	26.8	....
St. Louis	61,076,374	21.1	....
Pittsburg	46,124,267	25.2	....
San Francisco	43,325,569	54.8	....
Cincinnati	26,567,400	11.7	....
Kansas City	24,072,488	15.7	....
Baltimore	23,625,528	19.2	....
New Orleans	16,995,848	....	6.1
Minneapolis	14,837,952	37.5	....
Detroit	11,621,221	30.6	....
Louisville	11,070,226	5.0	....
Cleveland	11,797,271	17.3	....
Omaha	7,900,758	12.4	....
Los Angeles	5,228,305	....	2.3
Providence	7,227,500	5.9	....
Milwaukee	9,480,546	26.7	....
Buffalo	6,329,221	9.6	....
Indianapolis	5,021,706	....	8.2
Seattle	6,236,001	7.7	....
Richmond	5,136,361	6.6	....
Memphis	4,888,337	....	5.4
Denver	4,819,458	.7	....
St. Paul	6,023,953	50.6	....
Hartford	4,590,100	5.5	....
Rochester	5,235,990	45.4	....
Portland, Ore.	5,181,074	23.5	....
Salt Lake City	4,406,586	29.4	....
Fort Worth	3,746,061	3.6	....
Spokane	4,101,661	....	1.1
Toledo	2,182,007	104.9	....
Columbus, O.	3,947,006	28.8	....
Salt Lake City	3,662,777	25.9	....
Des Moines	4,604,059	72.2	....
Worcester	2,074,968	34.1	....
Nashville	2,562,982	11.6	....
Syracuse	3,196,673	9.1	....
Scranton	2,936,161	10.1	....
Wash., D. C.	2,861,105	27.8	....
St. Joseph, Mo.	2,721,025	29.2	....
Fall River	2,892,103	47.6	....
Peoria	2,122,915	20.8	....
Lowell	2,092,850	30.0	....
Portland, Me.	1,804,658	7.5	....
Springfield, Mass.	1,463,192	1.5	....
Birmingham	1,513,997	47.4	....
Lincoln	1,705,191	8.6	....
Galveston	1,756,078	82.1	....
Kansas City	1,562,914	18.6	....
Wilmington, Del.	1,883,009	50.3	....
Dayton	1,443,366	12.0	....
Houston	1,404,972	6.1	....
Worcester	1,511,616	28.0	....
Knoxville	1,115,102	....	17.4
Charleston, S. C. †	1,416,877	30.0	....
Wilmington, Del.	1,099,467	....	5.4
Wichita	1,125,498	.8	....
Wilkesbarre	900,000	5.0	....
Davenport	930,068	....	1.1
Little Rock	1,202,902	20.0	....
Topeka	1,130,102	16.1	....
Chattanooga	883,288	12.1	....
Jacksonville, Fla.	1,079,117	22.3	....
Kalamazoo, Mich.	747,176	12.5	....
Springfield, Ill.	758,949	24.6	....
Fall River	676,758	....	5.6
Wheeling, W. Va.	858,779	31.0	....
Macon	521,000	....	56.5
Helena	554,311	....	5.3
Lexington	602,227	....	11.8
Akron	601,000	....	4.0
Canton, O.	704,000	11.3	....
Fargo, N. D.	468,069	17.5	....
Youngstown	468,919	....	15.9
New Bedford	644,454	64.8	....
Rockford, Ill.	468,500	....	5.9
Lowell	486,245	13.2	....
Chester, Pa.	409,807	....	10.7
Binghamton	556,900	22.0	....
Bloomington, Ill.	328,074	....	8.5
Springfield, O.	397,814	....	2.9
Greensburg, Pa.	320,259	....	....
Quincy, Ill.	391,471	2.7	....
Decatur, Ill.	314,062	36.3	....
Sioux Falls, S. D.	313,030	....	2.8
Jacksonville, Ill.	214,762	10.8	....
Mansfield, O.	341,580	13.7	....
Fremont, Neb.	156,687	....	....
Cedar Rapids	389,401	42.0	....
†Houston	11,245,641	2.5	....
†Galveston	10,968,000	55.1	....
Totals, U. S.	$3,154,061,220	65.4	....
Outside of New York	964,945,985	21.1	....
CANADA.			
Montreal	$ 24,280,827	35.1	....
Toronto	19,528,320	36.1	....
Winnipeg	5,349,849	18.3	....
Ottawa	2,167,279	16.6	....
Halifax	1,785,081	13.8	....
Vancouver, B. C.	1,909,930	60.6	....
Quebec	1,501,071	19.0	....
Hamilton	1,207,572	9.8	....
St. John, N. B.	968,666	....	4.2
London, Ont.	974,310	10.9	....
Victoria, B. C.	594,292	....	12.3
Totals, Canada	$ 60,042,127	29.1	....

†Not included in totals because containing other items than clearings.
*Balances paid in cash.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Hog Values Take Upward Turn—Cattle Are Steady, Sheep and Lambs Slow.

The hog market at the stockyards yesterday took an upward turn for the first time this week. The gain was from 5c to 10c. Light mixed hogs were eagerly sought. Receipts were light.

Steadiness was apparent in the cattle market. The receipts were so light that quotations largely were nominal. The quality was inferior and local buyers did nearly all the trading.

Sheep and lambs were slow. The receipts were small. Prices generally showed little change.

RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS—RECEIPTS.

	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Saturday, April 15	945	27	13,674	2,060
Monday, April 17	25,011	710	45,429	31,573
Tuesday, April 18	3,830	9,472	15,452	20,044
Wednesday, April 19	21,633	2,376	28,441	18,119
Thursday, April 20	7,463	2,491	16,567	15,660
Friday, April 21	1,900	250	15,000	5,000
Total last week	65,411	13,074	153,619	99,341
Cor. week last year	57,538	10,425	96,252	73,902
Year ago this week	63,486	8,269	146,536	82,767

SHIPMENTS.

Friday, April 14	4,967	82	7,850	687
Saturday, April 15	1,128	18	5,175	1,111
Monday, April 17	5,800	17	16,577	4,887
Tuesday, April 18	3,736	324	5,488	2,000
Wednesday, April 19	5,433	143	5,932	3,544
Thursday, April 20	2,521	130	9,501	5,375
Friday, April 21	2,000	500	7,500	3,000
Total last week	29,984	680	40,546	25,844
Cor. week last year	27,339	191	43,575	13,850
Year ago this week	20,389	1,061	53,061	17,894

Receipts of year to date, with comparisons, follow:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Cars.
1904	992,040	2,660,601	1,204,723	93,613
1905	1,025,503	2,750,631	1,205,156	96,591
Increase	33,463	60,030		2,978
Decrease			139,567	

Cattle.

Values were steady, with a light run. Fat cows were in demand. Few steers of good quality were offered. Quotations:

Good to choice	$6.25@6.75
Common to medium steers	5.40@6.25
Inferior to common steers	4.90@5.40
Good to fancy cows and heifers	5.00@5.40
Fair to good cows and heifers	3.90@4.60
Good to choice feeders	4.25@5.00
Fair to choice stockers	4.25@5.15
Good cutting and fair beef cows	3.00@4.40
Common to good canning cows	2.50@3.50
Bulls, poor to choice	1.60@4.45
Calves, common to fair	5.00@6.00
Calves, good to fancy	5.10@6.00

Hogs.

The hog market took an upward turn. The top was $5.57½, against $5.50 on Thursday. Quotations:

Good to choice shipping	$5.40@5.55
Fair to good butcher weights	5.40@5.47½
Fair to good heavy mixed	5.30@5.45
Fair to good heavy packing	5.30@5.47½
Light mixed	5.40@5.50
Good to choice 200@225 lb weights	5.45@5.55
Fair to good pigs, 80@100 lb weights	4.50@5.47½

Sheep and Lambs.

Sheep and lambs were slow and few were offered. Quotations:

Export wethers, shorn	$5.60@5.15
Fair to prime wethers	4.75@5.25
Yearlings, fair to prime	5.25@5.80
Yearlings, fair to fancy	5.25@5.80
Culls, ewes, poor to fair	3.00@4.00
Bucks and stags	2.50@3.50
Native lambs, medium to prime, shorn	6.00@6.60
Native lambs, culls to fair class, shorn	4.00@5.85
Western lambs, shorn	6.75@6.90
Western lambs, medium to prime	7.15@7.62
Western lambs, poor to fair	5.85@7.10
Western feeding lambs, poor to best	5.50@7.25

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Beeves—Receipts, 3,310. Steers slow but steady. Choice firm; bulls and common cows steady; medium and good cows firm to 10c higher. Sheep—Steady. Shipments today, 2,400 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 1,014. General sales at strong prices; some sales full 50c lower. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,537. Little trading. Sheep about steady; lambs 10@15c lower; 14½ cars unsold. Hogs—Receipts, 3,573, all for slaughter except 19 head. Market strong.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,500, including 1,200 Texans. Market steady. Native shipping and export steers, $4.50@6.50. Hogs—Receipts, 3,500. Market 5c higher. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,100, including 600 southerns. Market steady. Hogs—Receipts, 5,200. Market 5@7½c higher. Top, $5.47½; bulk of sales, $5.35@5.45. Sheep—Receipts, 1,900. Market steady.

OMAHA, Neb., April 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 500. Market generally strong. Hogs—Receipts, 3,000. Market shade to 5c higher. Bulk of sales, $5.27½@5.30. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000. Market steady to weak.

SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, Mo., April 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 474. Steady to 10c higher. Hogs—Receipts, 2,549; 5@10c higher. Sheep—Receipts, 2,170. Steady; lambs, $7.40.

POTATOES HIGHER; HENS LOWER

Better Trade in Potatoes than for Some Time—Strawberries Are Plentiful and Sell Lower.

Higher prices for potatoes, with trading in better volume than for a week, and lower prices for strawberries and chickens, were the features on South Water street. The best price on potatoes was 27c for dusty rurals. Supplies of chickens in dealers' hands were liberal and prices 1½c lower. About 11 cars of strawberries came in, and demand was not active on account of the cool weather.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Eggs, extra, fine, 80 per cent fresh	17½c
Do prime firsts	15@16c
Do, at mark, general receipts, cases included	15@15½c
Do, cases returned	15@15½c
Butter, creamery, extras	31c
Firsts	29@30c
Seconds	25@26c
Dairies, Cooley's	28c
Packing stock	20@22c
Cheese, twins	14c
Cheese, twins	14c
Do, young americas	15c
Do, flats	15c

FRUITS.

Oranges, box	$1.50@3.25
Strawberries, 24 qts	15c
Do, per crate	$1.50@3.00
Grape fruit	$2.00@4.50
Apples, 1 bu	25c@$1.75
Do brls	$1.00@2.75
Cranberries, per brl	$4.00@7.00
Do, per box	$1.50@2.00
Do, per bu	$1.00@2.75
Cranberries, per box	$1.00@2.00
Do, per brl	$4.00@6.50
Bananas, per bunch	50c@$1.75
Lemons, boxes	$1.50@2.00
Pineapples, cases	$2.25@3.10

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live turkeys	14c
Live chickens	15c
Broilers	18@21c
Live ducks	12@13c
Live geese, per doz	$4.00@7.00
Capons	14@18c
Dressed chickens	12½@13c
Dressed turkeys	18@19c
Snipe, per doz	50c@$1.25
Prairie chickens, per doz	$1.25
Golden plover, per doz	$1.25
Yellow leg	40c

VEGETABLES.

Asparagus, per doz	$1.25@4.00
Beets, new, per brl	$3.00@4.00
Cabbage, new, per brl	$1.50@2.50
Potatoes, bu	18@27c
Do, new, brl	$1.50@2.25
Do sweet, brl	$1.00@2.50
Onions, per bu	90c@$1.10
Beans, hand picked	$1.60
Lettuce, heads, per brl	$2.00@4.00
Do leaf, cases	25c
Cucumbers, per doz	35c@$1.10
Rhubarb, per box	30@40c
Tomatoes, per case	$2.00@4.50
Spinach, per bu	40@55c
String beans, per box	$3.00@4.00

VEAL.

60@80 lbs	6@7c
80@120 lbs	7@7½c
Choice	8@8½c
Coarse and heavy	5@6c

Receipts and shipments of country produce for the last twenty-four hours, compared with last year:

	Receipts		Shipments	
Articles.	1905.	1904.	1905.	1904.
Apples, brls	321	555	481	72
Beans, bu	637	....	25	50
Eggs, doz	17,000	149,200	17,649	115,839
Butter, lbs	511,289	695,863	261,333	470,447
Cheese, lbs	54,450	210,602	189,300	181,572
Dressed fowls, lbs	....	....	28,100	35,130
Eggs, cases	21,433	15,576	2,216	7,779
Hay, tons	328	538	....	30
Hides, lbs	1,372,483	535,540	587,617	666,205
Hops, lbs	19,816	....	20,416	....
Potatoes, bu	9,986	21,827	2,683	7,046
Poultry, lbs	300	63,549	67,085	14,308
Poultry, coops	....	....	67,085	14,308
Wool, lbs	....	194,498	15,000	140,430

Paris Money Market.

PARIS, April 21.—The tone on the bourse today was heavy, and trading was inactive. Russian imperial 4s were quoted at 87.55, and Russian bonds of 1904 at 508.

Oil and Oil Certificates.

TOLEDO, O., April 21.—Oil—North Lima, 86; South Lima and Indiana, 83.

TALK OVER THE MAY DEAL

WHILE MARKETS ARE CLOSED LEADERS HOLD CONFERENCE.

Valentine, Wells, and Commons of Minneapolis Talk Behind Closed Doors—The Trade's Opinions of the Deal—Minneapolis Market Record Summary of Northwest Crop Conditions and Other Interesting Market News.

Grain markets throughout the world were closed yesterday in observance of Good Friday and offices on Change here were practically deserted. The only signs of activity were in the offices of the Armour Grain company, where some of the leaders in the May wheat deal were in conference behind closed doors. It was presumed the numerous and perplexing details of the liquidation of the big deal, which has a little less than six weeks to live if it is carried through to the end of May, were being discussed.

Frank Commons of the firm of Commons & Co. of Minneapolis, a cash house which handles Armour's trades in that market, was in town and spent the better part of the day with A. I. Valentine, head of the Armour Grain company and presumably the new manager of the Gates deal. Orson Wells, manager of the Rookery offices of Charles G. Gates & Co., was also in conference with Valentine and Commons. The meeting lasted late into the afternoon and none of those present would talk of the results of their discussion.

Traders who knew of the conference took it to mean that the greater part of the deal still is to be liquidated and that the details of Valentine's usual wizard tactics when a deal is on were being outlined. The presence of Commons was taken to indicate the deal might be longer lived than a good many of the trade imagined at the close of change on Thursday, and that the deal may be prolonged and cash wheat taken in and handled by the Armour house.

Trade Puzzled Over May Wheat.

The traders who congregated to talk over the wheat situation yesterday were of two minds at least. Some stuck to the belief that the selling of about 5,000,000 bu by clique houses in the last two sessions meant that the deal is on its last legs, and will be liquidated in the pit before May 1, probably, however, with some violent fluctuations upward as well as downward before the end. Others, however, think the line has not been materially reduced and that the break to the lowest point since last December was merely a shake out to dislodge weak holders, encourage short sellers, and discourage mixers.

A new feature of the present cash situation is that not only have some shipments of contract wheat headed here been deflected, but the decline has created a loss of ¼@½c in the mixture of ore-third Manitoba and two-thirds Duluth wheat, which showed a profit of 2c a few days ago, and on which some mixers have been depending to fill May sales.

Trade Gossip on 'Change.

Answers to 1,000 letters received by the Minneapolis Market Record from millers, grain dealers, and others in the northwest indicate that the acreage sown to wheat this spring in Minnesota and the two Dakotas is larger this year than that of a year ago. Minnesota shows more increase than the other two states. This increase is found to occur mostly in sections of the state where the crop secured last fall was of an unusually good quality as well as yield. Such sections are found to lie mostly in the central, southern, southeastern, and southwestern parts of the state, and are mostly in counties whose wheat acreage during the last several years has been light. The amount of land given over to flax this year is about the same as that of last year in Minnesota and South Dakota, with about 4 per cent increase in North Dakota. The reports on wheat acreage show in Minnesota an increase this year over last year of 12 per cent. In South Dakota some counties are lacking. The reports show 3 per cent decrease for the counties reporting. An increase for the state of some 10 per cent is looked for, however, by some of those best posted in the grain trade. In North Dakota an increase of 8 to 10 per cent is prospective. The government estimate on acreage last year was: Minnesota, 5,339,394 acres; North Dakota, 4,567,204 acres, and South Dakota, 3,287,057 acres. The increase in acreage this year, on the basis of the above figures, would indicate that nearly 1,000,000 acres more are intended to be sown to wheat this year than last in Minnesota and the two Dakotas. Few complaints have been received in regard to the northwest condition, but the weather is still too cold. Warmer weather and more moisture would prove beneficial. In South Dakota and southern Minnesota wheat seeding is now practically over, and in northern Minnesota and North Dakota probably 65 per cent is done.

"Over nearly the whole of the country the week ending on April 17 was abnormally cold and unfavorable for germination and growth," says the weekly government weather bulletin. "In western North Dakota the temperature fell nearly to zero on the 16th, and on this and the following date exceptionally low temperatures for the season occurred throughout the country east of the Rocky mountains, freezing temperatures occurring as far south as the northern portions of Alabama and Georgia and central South Carolina, with light to heavy frosts in the central portion of the east gulf states and light frost at Jacksonville. The damaging effects of this cold period, which came at the close of the week, are not fully covered in the reports collected at the climate and crop centers on the 17th and used in the preparation of this bulletin. Heavy rains were unfavorable in the south Atlantic and central gulf states, while the need of rain is beginning to be felt in portions of the lower Missouri valley and on the extreme north Pacific coast. The temperature conditions on the Pacific coast were favorable. While corn planting has continued in Kansas, Missouri, and southern Illinois, none has been planted farther north nor in the upper Ohio valley and middle Atlantic states. Preparations for planting have been active in the central valleys."

A new theory explaining the transfer of 1,000,000 bu May wheat from Pringle-Fitch-Rankin to the Armour Grain company is that the wheat was turned over to the latter in payment for the services of the house for managing the deal. The story is the wheat was transferred at $1.04, or a price which would let Valentine out of his short wheat at a good profit and take care of the cash wheat he had coming here, which had been hedged in the pit.

The committee of board of trade men who went to Springfield to work on the bills in which the grain trade is interested returned yesterday. The members reported a favorable reception of their presentation of the views of the board on the measures and expect the bills to come up for vote on Tuesday. The committee consisted of W. S. Jackson, Robert Pringle, and D. J. Murphy.

Oats experts attribute the scattering demand for oats for direct export to the fact Russia is not doing her usual part in supplying European buyers. Brokers report no sales have been made by Russia for some time in spite of the opening of navigation. A sale of 30,000 bu oats for direct export was made from Chicago late on Thursday.

A boatload of Duluth wheat is due here on Monday from Duluth, the wheat, No. 1 northern, weighing 57 lbs, which is being brought to mix with 58 to 60 lb Minneapolis No. 1 northern to bring up its grading.

There were charters late on Thursday for 400,000 bu corn, part to Buffalo and part to Georgian bay, the rate 1½c.

A private Rosario cable reported weather in Argentina was more favorable.

IN THE NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Buying of dry goods is on a moderate plane and operations show no desire for speculation. Further export trade is reported and prices generally are well maintained. Advances are scored in certain quarters. Jobbing quarters are dull owing to the partially observed holiday.

Poultry—Alive and dressed—Steady, unchanged.

Butter—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 2,109 lbs.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 538 pkgs.

Eggs—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 15,796 cases.

Eggs—In Philadelphia—Plentiful; nearby fresh, 17½c at mark; western fresh, 17½c at mark.

WILL TRY TO MAKE IMPORT AND DOMESTIC RATES EQUAL.

Railroad Representatives of East, West, and South Will Meet in Buffalo on Monday to Reach Agreement.

Strenuous efforts are being made by the eastern, western, and southwestern railroads to bring about an agreement that will put an end to the practice of making lower rates in import traffic than on domestic shipments. The effect of this policy has been to give the foreign shippers an advantage that has excited much indignation among the merchants and manufacturers of this country.

The chief traffic officials of the various roads in the Trunk Line association, Central Freight association, and the Western Trunk Line committee will meet at Buffalo next Monday those of the gulf port lines to come to some agreement in this matter. The object is to arrive at an understanding, if possible, which will put the import rate situation on so solid a basis that rates can be made for next year which will be rigidly maintained.

The Pennsylvania and some other roads are said to be strongly in favor of the abolition of import rates and of placing west bound rates on import and domestic business on a parity. There is also a strong sentiment in support of a proposition to reduce export rates to facilitate the movement of surplus products.

May Reduce Rates in Illinois.

The general traffic officials of the various roads in Illinois are much alarmed over the prospect of a general reduction in freight rates by the railroad and warehouse commission of this state. The commission has arranged a meeting at Springfield for May 16, when the railroads will be given another chance to convince the commission that the reduction should not be made.

The reduction has been under consideration for more than a year, but every time the commission met to take action some cause was found for adjournment. Hundreds of shippers at Springfield, Peoria, Decatur, and other points in the state have filed complaints claiming that the rates in this state are too high as compared with interstate rates and the commission no longer can stave off action in the matter.

The traffic officials of the various Illinois roads held a meeting here yesterday, trying to find out what steps are necessary to meet the inquiry. The railroads consider the present rates low enough and say the shippers are not suffering, as the great bulk of traffic is being handled on special commodity rates that are lower than the commissioners' rates.

Appointments Announced.

W. S. Kinnear, chief engineer of the Michigan Central, has been appointed assistant general manager of the road, and he will begin his new duties today. Mr. Kinnear will be in charge of the construction of the new tunnel under the Detroit river, which will begin in a short time.

Announcement also is made of the appointment of H. A. Worcester to be assistant general superintendent of the Michigan Central. Mr. Worcester formerly was superintendent of the Eastern division of the Lake Shore at Buffalo, and later superintendent of the western division at Chicago. The appointment is taken to mean that he will install Lake Shore methods on the Michigan Central.

The Burlington announces the appointment of W. S. Kirby, superintendent of the Chicago division in place of H. G. Hetzler. F. H. Clark has been made general superintendent of motive power, and F. A. Torrey becomes superintendent of motive power east of the Missouri river.

Must Have Safety Appliances.

It appears to be the determination of the interstate commerce commission to prosecute all roads which have failed to comply with the "safety appliance act," passed by congress in 1893. At the suggestion of the commission yesterday at Milwaukee United States Attorney H. K. Butterfield brought suit against the Wisconsin Central for not complying.

ACCUSED OF SWINDLING STORES

Three Men Arrested on Charges of Having Goods Sent "Collect" and Not Paying.

Three men, who are suspected of having swindled the department stores, were arrested yesterday. Complaints have been coming to the police that a man would purchase articles and order them sent "collect" to 122 North Clark street. The delivery boy would hand the package to a man who said that he was waiting for it. On a pretext of getting the money the man would go inside and not return. The place has an entrance on Indiana street and it is supposed the man escaped with the goods through that door. The men arrested gave the names of William Scully, J. Rickman, and Thomas Wagner.

FIRE UNDERWRITERS ARE SUED.

Daniel D. Healy Demands $30,000 for Damages Said to Have Resulted from Increased Rates.

Daniel D. Healy, former president of the county board, has filed suit in the Superior court against members of the executive committee of the board of fire underwriters to recover $20,000 for alleged damages to the insurance firm of F. F. Holmes & Co., in 1903, of which Mr. Healy was at that time a member. The bill alleges that the Holmes firm made a contract with the county board to accept and place the county's insurance for $25,000. After the contract had been signed, Healy declares, the underwriters association raised the rates so that it was impossible to place the insurance for less than $32,000.

LAKE SHIPPING NEWS.

Vessel Movements.

MANITOWOC, Wis.—Cleared—Joliet, Escanaba.

EAST TAWAS, Mich.—Sheltered—Rhoda Emily, Marigold, Scott.

GREEN BAY, Wis.—Arrived—Ravenscraig. Cleared—Grain—Orion, Buffalo.

TOLEDO, O.—Cleared—Coal—Wright, Montana, Marine City. Light—Gould, Superior.

SOUTH CHICAGO—Arrived—H. W. Smith. Cleared—Light—Mary Boyce, Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Wis.—Arrived—Craig, Oceanica. Cleared—Lightmoore, Umbria, Hawgood, Taylor, Superior; Cartagena, Chicago; Clark, Duluth.

ESCANABA, Mich.—Arrived—J. S. Keefe, Panther, R. Lewis, Cleared—Lake Shore, Pittsburg, Cumberland, Fryer, Bielman, J. H. Wade, S. Mitchell, Lake Erie.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Arrived—Squire, W. H. Mack, Lewiston. Cleared—Coal—Francombe, Milwaukee; Winnipeg, Port Arthur. Light—Blaine, Duluth; W. H. Mack, Chill, Superior.

DULUTH-SUPERIOR—Arrived—Capt. Wilson, Maiden, Erie, Kensington, Saxona, Yosemite, Duluth. Cleared—Grain—A. Davidson, Lake Erie. Ore—Saunders, Holmes, Lake Erie.

PORT HURON, Mich.—Sheltered—Miami, Richardson, Chesapeake, Cherokee, Tuscarawa, Buffalo, Clint, Oscoda and barges, Runnells, Hattie Wells, Katahdin. Arrived—Thomas Palmer, Parnell, Lenz and barges.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich.—Up—A. E. Stewart, Onoko, 11:40 Thursday night; Hines, Wayne, Law, Niko, Petersen, 6 Friday morning; Schoolcraft, Bunnell, Nester, Jupiter, Yukon, Langell, Gallagher, 8; Fulton, Rosbiling, 10; Star, Alva, 6 p. m. Down—Sahara, 12:30 Friday morning; A. M. Kerr, Reed, Fenwick, Fearey, 5:30; Crescent City, 11; Augustus B. Wolvin, 12:30 p. m

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DEATHS.

ASHTON—Mrs. Ruth A., 1148 Taylor-st., April 19, aged 80 years. Funeral Sunday, April 23, 1:30 p. m., from Covenant Congregational church, corner Polk-st. and Claremont-av. Burial at Forest Home. Omit flowers.

BARFUR—Fred, husband of Carrie, 282 S. Halsted-st. Funeral Saturday at Belleville, Ill.

BASSETT—Henry, aged 51 years, April 19, at the Baptist hospital. Funeral Sunday morning, 11 a. m., from Rolston's chapel, 370 Wabash-av. 22 cars to Mount Greenwood Cemetery.

BAUER—Katherine, wife of Joseph. Funeral Sunday at 1 p. m., 164 W. 14th-st, to St. Francis' church, 8d. Bonifface.

BERRY—John, husband of Melissia. Funeral Sunday, 341 E. Chicago-av., at 1 o'clock, to Forest Home.

BROWN—James, husband of Catherine. Funeral 2736 Shields-av.

BROPHY—Lydia M., daughter of John J. and Mattie, April 20, 1905. Burial 517 W. 15th-st., Sunday, 2 p. m.

BRUTON—This morning, at the parochial residence, 311 E. Superior-st., where he has been officiating for the last week, the Rev. M. A. Bruton, a venerable priest of the archdiocese of Chicago, having served charge for more than twenty-seven years; recently of Rosecrans and Morrison, Ill. His funeral will take place from the cathedral with solemn requiem high mass, Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

CONNORS—Margaret J., child of Michael and B. Funeral Saturday, 9 a. m., 970 Ogden-av.; carriages to Mount Carmel.

CRAIG—Mrs. Francis, Thursday, 571 Chestnut-st. Funeral to Kenwood Sunday at 2 p. m.

FILION—Josephine, April 20. Funeral Saturday, 9 a. m., 172 Blue Island-av., to Notre Dame church, carriages to Calvary.

FLYNN—Cornelius J., beloved son of James and Margaret Flynn (nee Culhane), and brother of Nellie, Gladys, Maurice, James and Daniel, the late William. Funeral Sunday from parents' residence, 260 S. Center-av., 9:30 a. m., to Holy Family church, thence by carriages to Mount Carmel.

GILTENAN—Dr. J. J., April 20, at Alexian Brothers' hospital. Funeral Saturday at 9:30 a. m., 428 W. 12th-st., to Holy Family church, carriages to Mount Carmel.

GREEN—Mary Frances, wife of Martin, formerly of Chicago, April 20, 1905, at Worcester, Mass.

GULBRANDSEN—Ruth Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nicolai. Funeral 407 Potomac-av., Sunday, 1 p. m., to St. John's church, carriages to Mount Olivet.

HAGARTY—April 21, 1116 W. 95th-st., J. D., husband of Ellen, nee Flanigan, aged 54 years. Funeral Sunday, 9 a. m., St. Margaret's church, thence by carriages to Mount Olivet.

HALSTEAD—Elias, 1303 Lill-av., April 21.

HANLON—Patrick, 1453 Fulton-st. Funeral Sunday at 9 a. m., train to Wilmington, Ill.

HAYES—Herman, husband of Bridget. Funeral Wednesday, 2 p. m., from St. Dominick's church at 9:30, carriages to Calvary.

HEFFNER—James P. Funeral Sunday, 306 119th-st., Whiting, Ind.

HEICH—John Boulton, 324 La Salle-av., April 20, aged 70 years. Born in Leicester, England.

HIGGINS—Lizzie M., on Thursday, April 20, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. J. Howard Jones, 132 North Oak Park-av., Oak Park. Services at 2:30 p. m. Saturday, April 22, at the Scoville Congregational church, Oak Park.

HINCHLIFF—George Hinchliff, suddenly, at the Presbyterian hospital, April 20. Funeral services at residence, 502 Jackson-blvd., Saturday at 1 p. m. Burial at Rosehill.

HOLCOMB—Mary C., wife of William H. Holcomb, at Nashville, Tenn., April 20. Funeral at Hinsdale, at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, April 22. C., B. & Q. train leaves Chicago 2:20 p. m.

HOLST—Oscar A., April 19, son of Mrs. Hanna. Funeral at 1 p. m. from Swedish M. E. church, 53d-st. and 5th-av., to Oakwoods.

JACKSON—On Tuesday, April 18, 1905, at 207 West 54th-st., New York, Augusta, beloved wife of Jackson, formerly of Chicago, Ill.

JACOBSEN—Hjalmer, Funeral Sunday at 12 m., 1274 W. 15th-st., carriages to Mount Olive.

JAGENT—James, son of Frank and Katie, April 20. Funeral Saturday, 3008 Rockwell-st., carriages to Calvary.

KENNEDY—Peter, April 19, 6740 S. Halsted-st. Funeral at 10 a. m. to St. Bernard's church, cars to Mount Olivet.

KNAUSS—Mary, nee Schmidt, aged 68 years, beloved wife of the late Jacob Knauss and mother of Mrs. Louise Weddemiller, Carrie Werth, Clara Geltz, Godfrey Jacob, John, William, Louise, and the late Mrs. Mary Hilgen. Funeral from late residence, 87 Vedder-st., Sunday, April 23, at 1:30 p. m., to Graceland cemetery.

LADWIG—William S., 182 Park-st.

LOCHER—Pauline, widow of the late John J. Fugesi, 5624 Grove-av., to Oakwoods, Saturday, 2:30 p. m.

LORE—Marie. Funeral 3023 Wentworth-av., Sunday at 1 o'clock; burial at Wunder's.

MAHER—John, son of Daniel and Margaret, April 21. Funeral Sunday at 9 a. m., St. Gabriel's church; carriages to Calvary.

MANHATTAN—John, husband of the late Mary, 2123 Archer-av.

MAGUIRE—Michael, April 20. Funeral Sunday at 9 a. m., 626 W. 45th-pl., to St. Gabriel's church; interment at Mount Olivet.

MANNING—William R. Will be buried at Montrose cemetery, from 749 W. Irving Park-blvd., Sunday, at 1:30 p. m., by carriages.

McAULEY—Mary Ellen, daughter of Hugh and Elizabeth, April 20. Funeral Sunday, 11528 Perry-av., to Mount Olivet.

McCALL—Barney, husband of Maggie. Funeral 410 Fulton-st., Saturday, at 10:30; burial at Mount Carmel.

McMAHON—Sine, husband of Mary, April 21, 4116 Campbell-av. Funeral Sunday at 9 a. m., to St. Agnes' church; care to Mount Olivet.

NEWMAN—George, husband of Eva.

O'CONNELL—Mrs. Savenia E., widow of the late Daniel J. O'Connell, beloved aunt of Ed and Daniel O. Vandran. Funeral Sunday, at 9:15 a. m., from her late residence, 1159 Jackson-blvd., to Our Lady of Sorrows' church, thence by carriages to Mount Carmel cemetery.

PARKER—Bessie F., April 20, 661 N. Lincoln-st. Funeral at Janesville, Wis.

PELZ—Albert, April 20. Funeral 94 Newton-st., Sunday, at 12:45 p. m.; carriages to Concordia.

PHILLIPS—Henrietta, beloved wife of Isidor, mother of Leopold, Herman, Hannah, Daniel, and Maurice. Funeral Sunday, April 23, from 3500 Rhodes-av., at 11 a. m., to Free Sons cemetery. Please omit flowers.

SCHMIDT—Mathias Hugh, April 19, 1012 W. 86th-pl., husband of Catherine. Funeral Sunday at 2:30. Interment at Oakwoods.

SHAW—April 20, Joseph Shaw, aged 82 years. Funeral services at residence, 415 S. Franklin-av., Austin, Sunday, 1 o'clock p. m. Burial at Rosehill.

TEAHAN—April 20, Margaret A., wife of Robert P. Funeral Monday, 3734 Archer-av., at 9 a. m., to St. Agnes' church; carriages to Mount Olivet.

VALLIN—Carl, husband of Edla. Funeral Sunday, 2 p. m., 825 Sheffield-av.; interment at Graceland.

WUEST—April 20, Agnes, widow of the late Carl A. Funeral 4848 Dearborn-st., Monday, at 10 a. m., to Waldheim.

ZANDER—Claudius Christian, beloved husband of Margaret, nee Standing-Soecht. April 21, 1905, at his residence, 880 N. Albany-av. Funeral notice hereafter.

FUNERAL TRAINS.

MOUNT HOPE CEMETERY FUNERAL TRAIN by Grand Trunk R. R. leaves Polk-st. depot (Polk and Dearborn-sts.) daily at 12 m.

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, Washington, D. C., April 21.—Forecast for Saturday and Sunday:

Illinois—Fair Saturday and Sunday, warmer in central and south portions Saturday, warmer Sunday, light variable winds, becoming southeast and fresh.

Ohio—Fair Saturday and Sunday, warmer Sunday, fresh northwest winds.

Lower Michigan and Upper Michigan—Fair and continued cool Saturday, Sunday fair, warmer, light variable winds, becoming east and fresh.

Indiana—Fair Saturday and Sunday, slowly rising temperature, light variable winds.

Minnesota—Fair Saturday and Sunday, warmer Saturday, except in northeast portion, light variable winds.

Wisconsin—Fair Saturday, warmer in west portion, Sunday fair, warmer, light variable winds, becoming fresh south.

North Dakota, South Dakota, Kansas, and Nebraska—Fair and warmer Saturday, Sunday showers.

Iowa and Missouri—Fair, warmer Saturday, Sunday showers.

Place of observation.	Thermometer.	Max. temp.	Direction of wind.	Rainfall.	State of weather.
Time taken:					
April 21, 7 p. m.					
Abilene	54	66	N.	.00	Rain
Albany	38	56	S.W.	.00	Cl'dy
Alpena	40	44	N.W.	.06	Clear
Atlanta	62	76	S.W.	.36	Fair
Amarillo	52	66	S.E.		Clear
Battleford	30	58	N.		Fair
Bismarck	34	52	N.		Cl'dy
Buffalo	42	46	N.	1.00	Snow
Boston	50	72	S.	.30	Rain
Cairo	50	68	N.W.	.18	Cl'dy
Calgary	34	66	N.		Clear
Charles City	50	54	N.W.		Clear
Charlotte	66	80	S.W.	Tr.	Cl'dy
Cheyenne	32	44	N.		Clear
Chicago	42	50	N.E.	.05	Clear
Cincinnati	48	68	N.	1.02	Cl'dy
Cleveland	42	48	N.E.	.62	Cl'dy
Concordia	56	80	S.E.	.04	Clear
Davenport	52	64	N.W.	.14	Clear
Denver	32	54	N.		Clear
Des Moines	54	66	N.	.38	Fair
Detroit	38	42	N.	1.21	Clear
Devil's Lake	30	50	N.		Clear
Dodge City	56	80	S.		Clear
Dubuque	52	58	N.W.	.42	Clear
Duluth	36	46	N.		Fair
Eastport	36	42	N.		Clear
Edmonton	54	64	N.W.	Tr.	Fair
Escanaba	38	42	N.E.		Clear
Galveston	68	82	S.	Tr.	Cl'dy
Grand Rapids	42	42	N.	.60	Clear
Green Bay	38	48	S.E.		Clear
Havre	44	60	N.		Clear
Helena	36	58	N.W.	.01	Clear
Huron	56	68	N.		Cl'dy
Indianapolis	46	54	N.	.53	Cl'dy
Jacksonville	70	78	S.W.	Tr.	Clear
Kansas City	56	60	N.		Clear
Little Rock	64	68	N.W.	.76	Cl'dy
Los Angeles	60	64	S.E.	Tr.	Cl'dy
Madison	48	52	N.	.38	Clear
Marquette	34	42	N.		Clear
Memphis	66	84	N.W.	.16	Cl'dy
Medicine Hat	68	70	E.		Clear
Milwaukee	44	52	N.	.56	Clear
Minneapolis	38	46	N.		Clear
Montgomery	66	82	S.E.	.26	Cl'dy
Montreal	30	50	S.	.24	Cl'dy
Moorhead	36	52	N.		Clear
Nashville	56	74	N.W.	.40	Cl'dy
New Orleans	72	84	S.W.	.17	Cl'dy
New York City	58	76	S.	.16	Rain
Norfolk	72	82	S.		Cl'dy
North Platte	52	64	S.		Clear
Oklahoma	62	76	S.E.		Fair
Omaha	54	66	N.		Clear
Oswego	32	38	N.	1.12	Cl'dy
Palestine	66	82	S.E.		Cl'dy
Parkersburg	50	72	N.	.32	Cl'dy
Philadelphia	60	80	S.	.86	Rain
Pittsburg	46	58	N.W.	.30	Cl'dy
Pueblo	54	68	E.		Fair
Qu'Appelle	54	56	E.		Fair
Rapid City	44	62	N.		Clear
San Francisco	52	64	W.	.40	Fair
St. Louis	50	56	N.E.	.14	Clear
St. Paul	40	50	N.W.		Cl'dy
Salt Lake City	38	64	E.		Cl'dy
San Antonio	62	80	N.E.	.02	Clear
San Diego	62	66	S.W.	.62	Cl'dy
Sault Ste. Marie	30	38	N.		Clear
Springfield, Ill.	48	50	N.	.06	Clear
Springfield, Mo.	56	70	N.E.		Clear
Vicksburg	70	82	N.	.04	Clear
Washington	62	82	N.W.	.22	Rain
White River	36	68	N.W.		Cl'dy
Wichita	58	68	N.W.	Tr.	Cl'dy
Williston	36	60	S.E.		Clear
Winnipeg	48	52	E.		Clear

WEATHER IN CHICAGO.

The temperature as observed yesterday by L. Manasse, optician, 88 Madison street, Tribune building, was as follows: Thermometer—8 a. m., 41 degrees; 9 a. m., 41; 10 a. m., 41; 11 a. m., 42; 12 m., 43; 1 p. m., 43; 3 p. m., 43; 6 p. m., 43. Barometer—8 a. m., 29.27; 6 p. m., 29.53.

OFFICIAL DEATH RECORD.

THE FOLLOWING BURIAL PERMITS WERE issued yesterday by the health department:

Ashton, Ruth A., 80; 1148 Taylor-st., April 19.
Auselmo, Frank, 11 months; 76 Damon-st., April 16.
Ayers, Arthur E., 1 month; 1253 Polk-st., April 20.
Bassett, Henry, 54; 1826 La Salle-st., April 19.
Budnik, Albert, 49; 201 W. North-av., April 19.
Bertus, Frederick, 44; 232 S. Halsted-st., April 19.
Brana, Gladys R., 8 months; 1135 Ember-st., April 20.
Bauer, Katherine, 63; 164 W. 14th-st., April 20.
Brophy, Lydia, 4; 517 Ohio-st., April 19.
Cottrell, Andrew, 25; Hegewisch, Ill., April 19.
Carrington, Esther R., 58; 1173 W. 22d-st., April 19.
Chapman, George R., 21; 980 31st-st., April 18.
Cwick, Wojch, 1; 156 Green-st., April 19.
Clark, Belle, 26; 2226 Wabash-av., April 19.
Collins, Thomas, 42; Wilmington, Ill., April 20.
Cole, Arthur J., 2; 5317 Armour-av., April 19.
Dittmars, Martha, 63; Mary Thompson's hospital, April 20.
Duffus, Hannah, 48; 80 Rowen-av., April 20.
Doyle, William G., 5 months; 4045 Armour-av., April 19.
Doran, Charles R., 6; 2206 Archer-av., April 17.
Erickson, Charles, 4; 952 N. Clark-st., April 19.
Fennelly, Mary Ann, 40; 511 Ashland-av., April 17.
Feldman, Bessie, 10; 62 Liberty-st., April 20.
Filion, Josephine, 57; 272 S. Morgan-st., April 20.
Fledler, William, 2; 6459 Rhodes-av., April 18.
Gasser, Emily, 43; 1737 Wrightwood-av., April 20.
Guldbrandsen, Ruth, 11; 407 Potomac-av., April 18.
Grzelis, Francis, 1; 754 Dixon-st., April 20.
Goss, Harry C., 16; 554 E. 40th-st., April 19.
Hinschilf, Minnie, 50; 496 Jackson-blvd., April 20.
Heins, Annie, 50; 2600 Halsted-st., April 19.
Hill, Emma, 57; 3629 Armour-av., April 20.
Johnson, John H. C., 51; 639 N. Washtenaw-av., April 17.
Johnson, Charles, 51; 7625 Drexel-av., April 19.
Kline, Goethilief, 53; Cook County hospital, April 17.
Keller, Richard, 2 months; 1045 E. 69th-st., April 19.
Kennedy, Peter, about 30; Root-st. and Emerald-av., April 19.
Kiltzke, Hattie, 26; 22 Penn-st., April 19.
Kampa, Teopil, 51; 75 Lister-av., April 20.
Loffredo, Cosino, 4 months; 206 W. Polk-st., April 20.
Ludwig, William, 22; 132 Park-st., April 20.
Lanno, baby, 1 day; 5141 Grove-st., April 20.
Musard, Dorothy, 1 month; 189 Clybourn-av., April 20.
May, Gertrude, 1; 5651 Bishop-st., April 19.
Markiewicz, Anna, 12; 4729 Wood-st., April 20.
McAuley, Mary E., 1; 11628 Prairie-av., April 20.
Ocasio, Guiseppe, 8 days; 223 Plymouth-pl., April 20.
O'Connell, Savansia, 52; 1150 Jackson-blvd., April 20.
Porter, Ruth, 20 days; St. Vincent's asylum, April 19.
Plummer, Othella, 15; 338 E. 44th-st., April 20.
Peterson, Hulda, 1; 1148 Belmont-av., April 18.
Peterson, Jennie, 31; 453 Dayton-st., April 19.
Parker, Bessie, 29; 661 N. Lincoln-st., April 20.
Rodgers, Nellie, 24; 1149 W. 14th-st., April 19.
Reynolds, William G., 21; 1154 W. 61st-st., April 18.
Richman, Beckie, 44; 378 S. Morgan-st., April 20.
Reilly, Louisa, 70; 1149 Indiana-av., April 19.
Ryan, Michael, 52; 2022 Loomis-st., April 19.
Ross, Margaret, 80; 317 N. 53d-av., April 19.
Safarik, Mary, 55; 2800 Kolzy-av., April 19.
Suchy, Vincence C., 52; 427 W. 18th-st., April 20.
Schuster, George A., 2 months; 7347 Vincennes-av., April 19.
Strzelec, Eddie, 2; 3317 Mozart-st., April 20.
Shaw, Joseph, 84; 415 S. Franklin-av., April 20.
Silverstein, Bagrette, 1; 149 W. 14th-st., April 19.
Siegel, Sam, 17; 447 S. Halsted-st., April 19.
Sorenson, Peter, 46; 6958 Stony Island-av., April 12.
Sielepowicz, Alice, 1; 3333 Foley-st., April 19.
Stephon, William H., 46; 628 W. 51st-st., April 16.
Sayles, Mrs. W. H., 27; 254 N. May-st., April 19.
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Vanderberg, J. H., 69; Chicago hospital, April 20.
Van Amberg, Charles, 40; Wesley hospital, April 20.
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7:15 am	Elgin, Omaha, Intermediate.	* 9:55 pm
† 7:15 am	Waukesha, Mad'n, Portage, Superior and Minneapolis	† 9:55 pm
† 7:45 am	Janesv., Mad'n, Min. Pt.	† 1:06 pm
‖ 8:05 am	Elgin, Rockford, Janesville	‖ 9:55 pm
8:20 am	Elgin, Rockford, Janesville	* 9:55 pm
§ 8:20 am	Elgin	§10:25 am
	Rockford	* 6:00 pm
* 9:00 am	Day Express—Milwaukee, St. Paul, Minneapolis	* 9:25 pm
† 9:00 am	Waukesha, Mad'n, P. du C.	†10:10 am
‖ 11:30 am	Beloit	* 9:00 am
	Milwaukee and Waukesha	†10:10 am
† 1:30 pm	Elgin, Rockford, Janesv., Beloit, R. Isl'd, Davenp't, Dub., Maquoketa, C. Rap's	† 1:45 pm
† 1:50 pm	Milw., Fn. du Lac, Ripon, Berlin, Oshkosh, Sea. Dam	† 1:00 pm
†‡ 2:00 pm	Milw., Wau'ha, Mad'n, Beloit	* 4:00 pm
† 3:00 pm	Waukesha, Madison, Portage and Green Bay	† 1:00 pm
† 4:00 pm	Janesv., Mad'n, Min. Pt.	† 8:00 pm
‖ 4:00 pm	Elgin, Rockford	†10:26 am
‖ 5:00 pm	Milwaukee, Waukesha, Madison	‖ 5:55 pm
		‖ 5:55 pm
* 6:00 pm	Pr. du Chien, Intermediate.	† 1:05 pm
† 6:05 pm	Savanna, Dub., St. Paul, Minneapolis, La. Minn., S. Falls	† 7:55 am

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* 6:05 pm	Omaha, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland	* 9:25 am
* 6:05 pm	Des Moines, Sioux City	* 8:35 am
‡ 6:05 pm	Sioux Falls	‡ 8:35 am
* 6:05 pm	Denver—One-Night Train	* 9:55 pm
* 6:05 pm	Omaha, San Francisco, Portland	* 9:25 am
	Madison	‖ 6:55 pm

The Pioneer Limited.

* 6:30 pm	Milw., St. Paul, Minneapolis	* 9:00 am
*†10:25 pm	California Express—Omaha, Denver, San Francisco, Los Angeles and Portland, Elgin, Daven't, Rock Isld.	* 8:35 am
*†10:25 pm	Ottumwa, Ex. Spgs., K. C.	* 7:55 am
*†10:25 pm	Rapids, D. M., St. Louis	* 9:55 pm
†10:25 pm	Dubuque, Ia., Minn., Dak.	† 1:45 pm
*†10:30 pm	Monticello and intermediate.	* 7:00 am
*†10:30 pm	Milw., St. Paul, Min'polis.	* 7:00 am
*†10:30 pm	Portage, Mad'n, Han's, Calumet	* 7:00 am
*†10:30 pm	Gr'n Bay, Iron Mt., Champion, Negaunee, Marquette	* 9:25 pm
†10:30 pm	Chicago, Star Lake	† 7:00 am
*†10:30 pm	G. Rap's, Wausau, Minoc'a	* 7:00 am
[e]	Milwaukee daily. [z] Ar. Sundays	11:50 a. m.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

All through trains from Central Station, 12th-st. and Park row. City ticket office, 99 Adams-st.; phone Cent. 2705.

Leave.		Arrive.
*10:00 am	N. Orleans-Memphis Special	* 9:45 pm
* 6:20 pm	Limited, Memphis, New Orleans, Hot Spgs., Ark. St. Louis and Springfield	*†11:30 am
* 9:45 am	Springfield Special	* 7:45 pm
*10:15 pm	Diamond Special	* 7:27 am
† 5:25 pm	Springfield Local	† 1:20 pm
† 8:30 am	Springfield Local	† 5:30 pm
† 2:50 am	Jackson, Tenn., Holly Spgs. and South—Fast Mail	† 1:20 pm
† 5:25 pm	Shawnee, Decatur, Cairo and Mattoon Express	† 1:20 pm
† 8:30 am	Bloomington and Chatsworth	† 1:50 am
*10:00 am	Evansville Express	* 7:55 pm
* 9:00 pm	Evansville, Cairo and South	* 7:55 am
* 4:15 pm	Kankakee and Gilman	*10:00 am
* 6:00 pm	Minneapolis-St. Paul Ltd.	* 9:35 am
* 6:00 pm	Omaha-Council Bluffs Ltd.	* 9:35 am
† 6:00 pm	Dubuque, S. City, S. Falls	† 9:35 am
† 6:00 pm	Dubuque, Omaha, C. Bluffs	† 9:35 pm
† 2:55 am	Dubuque, S. City Fast Mail	† 7:00 am
† 2:55 am	Minneapolis and St. Paul	† 7:00 am
† 2:55 pm	Rockford Passenger	† 9:55 pm
† 3:45 pm	Rockford, Freep't, Dubuque	†12:25 pm

ROCK ISLAND SYSTEM. LA SALLE STATION, on the elevated loop, Van Buren and La Salle-sts. Phone H. 4676. Ticket office, 91 Adams-st. Phone C. 4446.

Leave.		Arrive.
	Davenp't, Des M'nes, Omaha. *	10:25 pm
	CALIFORNIA FAST MAIL.	
* 8:40 am	Kansas City, El Paso, Calif. *	*10:35 pm
* 8:40 am	Des Moines, Omaha	* 10:35 pm
* 8:40 am	Peoria Fast Express	*10:35 pm
* 9:15 am	Illinois and Davenport Local	* 5:10 pm
* 9:15 am	Des Moines and Iowa Local	* 7:50 pm
* 3:15 pm	Wash'n, Oskaloosa, D. Moines	* 5:30 pm
* 3:15 pm	Joliet Express	* 9:47 am
* 3:15 pm	Peoria, Bureau, Davenp't	* 1:55 pm
† 3:15 pm	Accommodation	† 9:47 am
* 4:15 pm	St. Paul and Minneapolis	* 8:30 am
* 4:15 pm	Cedar Rapids, Sioux Falls	* 8:30 am
† 5:10 pm	Peru Accommodation	† 9:10 am
† 5:12 pm	Joliet Express	† 8:45 am
	RED STAR LINE.	
	ANTWERP—DOVER—LONDON—PARIS.	
	ROCKY M'T'N LIMITED.	
5:45 pm	Omaha, Colo. Springs, Denver. *	5:30 pm
	Kansas City, St. L'ds, Atch.	
6:05 pm	Fort Worth, Dallas Exp. *	9:40 am
6:00 pm	Peoria *	8:30 am
	GOLDEN STATE LIMITED.	
*8:00 pm	Kansas City, El Paso, Calif. *	*12:00 n'n
*10:00 pm	Omaha, Colo., and Calif. *	* 6:30 am
* 8:00 pm	Peoria, Pekin & Mis. *	* 7:25 am
*11:00 pm	Peoria, Davenport, K. City *	* 7:25 am
	St. Jo, Des Moines, Omaha.	* 7:25 am

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City ticket office, 101 Adams-st. Phone Harrison 4570. Union Passenger Station, Canal-st., between Adams and Madison-sts. Phone Main 2128.

Lv. Chgo.	St. Louis-Springfield trains—	Ar. Chgo.
* 9:00 am	Chicago & State Express	* 5:00 pm
*†1:25 am	Alton Limited	* 5:04 pm
* 9:00 pm	Palace Express	* 7:15 am
*†1:43 pm	Alton Special	* 8:06 am
	Streator-Peoria trains—	
*†11:25 am	Peoria Express	* 1:15 pm
*†11:25 pm	Peoria Limited	* 5:04 pm
†11:48 pm	Peoria Midnight Special	† 7:15 am
	Jacksonville-Kansas City trains	
* 3:30 pm	Kansas City Express	* 8:15 pm
* 3:30 pm	Kansas City Hummer	* 7:45 am
† 9:00 am	Bloomington-Jacksonville and Mexico Local	† 5:04 pm
* 2:15 am	Bloomington Special	*10:30 am

WABASH RAILROAD — DEPOT, DEARBORN Station, Polk and Dearborn-sts. Ticket offices, 97 Adams-st. and 15 Congress-st. Telephones—City office (except Sunday). Har. 4500. Depot H. 755.

Leave.		Arrive.
9:00 am	Springfield & Quincy Exp.	* 4:37 pm
	Banner Blue Limited to St. Louis and Peoria	
*11:30 am		* 5:32 pm
† 2:55 pm	Peoria & Decatur Accom.	†12:30 pm
* 9:17 pm	St. Louis Limited Express	* 7:30 am
*11:30 pm	St. Louis & Peoria Express	*†3:02 pm
* 4:38 pm	Forrest Accommodation	* 9:47 am
*11:00 am	Cent. Lim. N.Y., Boston	* 3:50 pm
* 2:00 pm	Detroit, N. Falls, N. Y.	* 8:00 am
* 3:00 pm	Pittsburg Express	*10:02 am
* 2:00 pm	Montpelier Accommodation	*10:02 am
*11:30 pm	Detroit, N. Falls

BACK DR. ZIEGLER'S CLAIM

WITNESSES TESTIFY TO MRS. MCVICKER'S INTENTION TO PAY.

Prof. W. F. Black and Others Say She Often Spoke of Him and the $100,000 He Would Receive After Her Death—Emil Lindner Identifies Contracts to Turn Over the Sum for Professional Services—Hearing to Be Resumed May 12.

Numerous witnesses to the genuineness of Dr. L. C. H. E. Ziegler's $100,000 contract with the late Mrs. J. H. McVicker testified in the Probate court yesterday. Dr. Ziegler's claim is for $126,000 for medical services for several years previous to Mrs. McVicker's death, which occurred last August in Pasadena, Cal.

The first testimony presented was a deposition from the Rev. W. F. Black.

"I visited Mrs. McVicker every other Thursday evening for many years, but I never saw Dr. Ziegler at her apartments," the deposition read. "I knew Dr. Ziegler was treating her because she often spoke about him and said he was the only physician who had ever helped her. On one occasion she said: 'My little doctor will have plenty of money when I die and he is paid for his devoted services to me. I could not live without him. He has worked hard and needs a rest. He will take it when he gets the money I owe him.'

"She told me at least fifty times that she had agreed to pay 'the little doctor,' as she called him, $100,000 for his services. I saw her often in 1904 before she went to California."

Identifies the Contract.

Emil Lindner, a former business partner of Dr. Ziegler, identified a contract between Mrs. McVicker and Dr. Ziegler, dated Dec. 19, 1890, in which she agreed to pay the physician $100,000 for professional services. The witness did not see this contract executed, but it was shown him by Dr. Ziegler afterward, and at the physician's suggestion he signed it for identification. This contract was signed "Mrs. J. H. McVicker."

Two years later Dr. Ziegler, acting on the advice of counsel, had another contract containing similar provisions executed under the date of July 24, 1901. This was signed by the principal as Mrs. Harriet G. McVicker.

The witness said he was present with his wife, Dr. Ziegler, and others at the Lexington when this second contract was signed. He said Mrs. McVicker told him she suggested the proposition and that she fixed the fee.

Accuses Condee of Conspiracy.

Another document offered was an affidavit signed by Mrs. McVicker and dated Oct. 29, 1902, in which she charged that Attorney L. D. Condee and others had entered into a conspiracy to ruin Dr. Ziegler by forging names of individuals to letters and circulating slanderous stories.

Mrs. W. L. Tomlins, Evanston, said she had been a friend of Mrs. McVicker for twenty-five years and that they occupied adjoining apartments at a hotel for several months. After returning from a trip in the south the witness said she found Mrs. McVicker much improved in health and she had told her her improvement was due entirely to Dr. Ziegler's treatment. Mrs. McVicker told the witness that Dr. Ziegler had prolonged her life and that inasmuch as she was wealthy she had decided to pay him well for his services. She explained to the witness that the physician had abandoned his practice and agreed to devote his entire time to caring for her.

Tell of Talks with Mrs. McVicker.

Dr. J. F. Rowley, who occupied offices in the McVicker's theater building until recently, told of several conversations in which Mrs. McVicker described the great benefit that had resulted from Dr. Ziegler's treatment.

A deposition made by Frank M. Cummings, clerk at the hotel in Pasadena, Cal., where Mrs. McVicker died, was then read. He said Mrs. McVicker had told him several times of Dr. Ziegler's faithful service and remarked that she intended to reward him.

The hearing will be resumed at 10:30 o'clock May 12.

ZION "TRAGEDY" RECOUNTED.

"Dramatic Midnight Shooting" Declared to Be an Accident Among Boys at Play.

A melodramatic tale of a midnight shooting scrape in the sacred precincts of Zion City was circulated throughout Waukegan yesterday, but all of the moonlight and weird music were eliminated when the officials of the church were interviewed.

In the tragedy suspected by the Waukeganites the characters were a crowd of Zion City boys; the time was midnight, and the place was the bank of a dismal creek where the lads had gone for the prosaic purpose of spearing suckers. The plot: a hasty word, followed by a blow, and a shot rang out on the frosty air. The climax is past, but in the next scene the villain is pictured "incarcerated," waiting in that vile position until the authorities of the law shall determine upon his punishment, the seriousness of which depends upon the recovery or relapse of the boy hero. The populace is agog with excitement.

"All Zion is pledged to secrecy," were the words which most aroused curiosity.

Before evening the leaders in Zion City evidently had overcome their aversion to the subject and discussed it freely. Deacon Sloan said:

"Why, it was nothing but a slight accident. One of the boys, Gordon Peairs, tried to frighten another, the Perry boy, by shooting over his head. One of the bullets went low and struck his friend in the side of the neck. It was merely a flesh wound, but it naturally was thought best to punish the offender for his rashness, but nothing serious will be inflicted upon him. They are mere boys, and it was another case of a practical joke gone wrong."

HARD TO SECURE HOCH JURORS.

Entire Morning Devoted to Examination of Three Veniremen and None Is Accepted.

Selection of a jury to try Johann Hoch, self-confessed bigamist, for murder, is proving a difficult task. The entire morning was devoted to the examination of three veniremen by Attorney Plotke, and none was accepted. Four of Hoch's former wives, Mrs. Rankin-Hoch, Mrs. Hendrickson-Hoch, Mrs. Goerke-Hoch, and Mrs. Fischer-Hoch, were in the courtroom.

A significant question put to a venireman indicates that Hoch's counsel will try to show that Hoch was not responsible for the death of Mrs. Walcker-Hoch. The question asked was: "Suppose we would admit that this woman was murdered by another person, would you be willing to receive this testimony without prejudice and weigh it carefully before reaching a conclusion as to the guilt or innocence of this defendant?"

Two more women have written to Assistant State's Attorney Harry Olson that Hoch is their husband. They are Mrs. Margaret Thompson, 659 West Baltimore street, Baltimore, Md., and Mrs. Mary Von Kleucki, 418½ North High street, Baltimore, Md.

NEW QUARTERS FOR COUNTY.

Offices Will Occupy Temporarily Parts of Fort Dearborn and Rand-McNally Buildings.

The new court house committee decided yesterday to rent 38,100 square feet of space in the Fort Dearborn building, Clark and Monroe streets, for occupancy by the sheriff, courts and court clerks while the new $5,000,000 building is under construction. The annual rental will be $47,625. The county treasurer, recorder, clerk, controller, and a few other officers will occupy 52,000 square feet of the Rand-McNally building, 160-74 Adams street, for an annual rental of $65,000. In the Fort Dearborn building the county will have space on the eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth and sixteenth floors and part of the third and fourth floors.

CLAIM WEALTH IN AFRICA

TWO CHICAGOANS AFTER DIAMOND KING'S MILLIONS.

Thomas V. and W. Frank Cannon, Brothers, Figure Out Relationship to Clarence H. Haran, Who Left an Estate Around Pretoria Valued at $50,000,000—Interest Is Aroused by Publication of Story of Romance—Never Heard of Mrs. Munchhof.

Two Chicago merchants declared themselves yesterday as claimants to the $50,000,000 estate of Clarence H. Haran, the South African "diamond king," which is undivided in Pretoria. They are Thomas V. Cannon and W. Frank Cannon, wholesale wine dealers at 75 South Water street and 101 North State street.

The discovery of the two heirs in Chicago resulted from a publication of the alleged life romance of the "diamond king," in which in the closing chapter he was pictured as writing a will which left his entire fortune to Mrs. Joseph W. Munchhoff, who, according to the story, had been loved for years by Haran and at last had sent him away to Africa to "nurse a broken heart."

According to an Omaha dispatch Mrs. Munchhoff is a daughter of C. D. Cannon, 160 Forty-second street. This Mr. Cannon and his family are out of town and their house is closed.

Other Chicago heirs asserted that they had never heard of Mrs. Munchhoff, who, before her marriage in Omaha, was Miss Matie Cannon. Frank Cannon also announced that a brother in New York, John Haran Cannon, had been in correspondence with attorneys in Pretoria for several months in regard to the division of the estate.

Mrs. Munchhoff May Be Cousin.

"I never have heard of Mrs. Matie Munchhoff," declared Mr. Cannon. "We are able to account for all our relatives with the exception of the Frank Cannon, a brother of my father, who was in Australia when we last heard of him ten years ago. It is possible Matie Cannon, said to be now Mrs. Munchhoff, is a daughter of this uncle, although it does not appear probable that she is.

"H. C. Haran was the youngest of several brothers of whom my grandfather, Sir Hugh Haran, who recently died in England leaving a large estate, was the eldest. My brothers, Thomas and John, and I are grandnephews of the Haran who has left the large fortune. We also have two sisters, Lila Cannon of New York and Mrs. James J. McGuire, who resides at Wakefield, N. Y. Neither Clarence nor Thomas Haran, the two youngest brothers of my grandfather, ever was married."

The "diamond king" lived in Canada until twenty-five years ago, when he went to South Africa. He died last October, when 60 years old.

Romance Discounted by Chicagoans.

The romance, which is discounted by the Chicago heirs, depicted the multimillionaire as a jilted lover fleeing to South Africa in a moment of grief over his fate and there "striking it rich." The story set forth that Mrs. Munchhoff's father and Haran were warm personal friends, although business rivals.

Finally, after having proposed to the then Miss Matie Cannon and having been rejected at each proposal the story relates that the girl decided to marry an Omaha man. Since then Mrs. Munchhoff has been divorced from her husband.

Passes Anti-Bucket Shop Law.

Boston, Mass., April 21.—The Massachusetts house today passed a bill aimed at the so-called "bucket shops." The measure provides that any persons or corporations who contract, trade in stocks or bonds, with a bet or wager depending on the outcome, shall be punished by a fine of not more than $1,000 or imprisonment of not more than one year.

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From the little tots of the kindergarten to the high school miss or the college youth, there is no requirement from head to foot that we do not supply in the most satisfactory manner, and at absolutely the smallest cost for equally desirable merchandise.

Girls' & misses' coats & suits of exclusive styles

THE broad range of tastefully exclusive styles in girls' and misses' apparel is as distinctly a Mandel feature as the extremely moderate prices which are here exemplified. *Second floor, State street.*

Girls' three-quarter coats, gray and brown novelty mixtures and coverts; belted back; emblem on sleeve—price **$5**

Girls' jaunty reefers 7.50
Cheviots, serges, mixtures and coverts, trimmed with color broadcloths and braids, 7.50.

Junior three-quarter coats 7.50
Special value. Popular new gray mixtures; collarless, effectively trim'd, loose back, 7.50.

Junior regulation suits $15
Very stylish effects in the much wanted shepherd checks, made with new plaited skirt, $15.

Girls' wool dresses $5 and 7.50
Effectively braid trimmed, in Russian, sailor and 1-piece styles. Choice at $5 and 7.50.

Confirmation dresses 6.50
Pretty dresses in Swiss, organdies and nets, for confirmation and dress occasions, very daintily finished, 6.50, 8.50, $10, up to $40.

Misses' silk suits 12.75
Taffeta silk shirt waists suits, cluster of plaits in waist and skirt, new deep cuffs, at 12.75.

In the economy basement
Girls' reefers in novelty mixtures, effectively braided and outlined with red broadcloth, 3.95.

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Confirmation suits
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Washable suits
Boys' and girls' wash suits, latest cut; also the popular kilt styles for the smaller boys—prices from $2 up to $10.

Boys' Furnishings
Boys' percale or madras blouses, 98c to $2.
Boys' silk or brilliantine blouses, $1 to $3.
Boys' shirts in silk or brilliantine, $1 to $3.
Boys' durable leather belts at 50c up to $2.
Boys silk bows, tecks, Windsor ties, 25c to $1.
Boys' jersey or knitted sweaters, $1 to $3.
Boys' night shirts, well finished, 50c to $2.
Boys' pajamas, good materials, 50c to $2.50.

Economy basement
Boys' $1 knee pants, heavy cheviots and corduroys, 3 to 16 years, to clear, 50c.
Boys' long pants, in worsteds, cheviots, tweeds, blue, black & dark mixtures—$1.
Boys' all-wool suits, 2-piece, double-breasted sailor, Norfolk and others, 1.95.
Combination suits, several styles, 2 pairs of trousers and jacket, neat fabrics, 3.95.

Girls' colonial hats at 2.25

Third floor, Wabash avenue.

Very popular and charming hats for children are the colonial and Napoleon styles, of which we show a great variety; many colors.

One very pretty style is in fancy mixed braids, trimmed with silk cord and tassels, with upright brush or pompon; price, **2.25**

These styles are also reproduced in Milan straw in various colors, 3.50 and $5.

Children's sailors, rib'on streamers, all styles, 1.25 to 2.95.

Dressy, fluffy hats for children, straws and tuscans, 3.95 to 7.50.

Children's caps for vacation

Second floor, State street.

Children's silk embroidered Tam o'Shanters, in many beautiful colors and several new designs, $1 to $3; special vacation prices.

Boys' Eton, golf and Norfolk caps, made of cloth serge and tweed, will stand rough usage; vacation special, **75¢**

Basement vacation specials: 100 dozen boys' caps in many styles, made to sell at 50c and 75c; special vacation sale, 25c.

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Third floor, State street.

Boys' tan Russia or black velour calf oxfords, splendidly made, of durable quality, special, 2.50.

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Du Barry sashes for girls 1.25

First floor, State street.

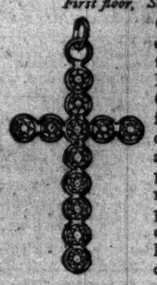
One of these military sashes, 4 yards of mousseline taffeta ribbon, makes a child's dress a thing of beauty, price $1.

The new Du Barry sash, 5-yd. mousseline ribbon **1.25**

Pretty rosette and four-in-hand sash, choice of all colors, at $1.

Easter crosses rare value 50¢

First floor, State street.



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